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TWELVE O'CLOCK, M.

PRESBYTERIANS.

The Old School General Assembly.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 25.—In the Old School Presbyterian Assembly to-day Hon. Martin Ryerson, of New Jersey, offered a resolution deploring the existing state of feeling between this country and Great Britain, and exhorting all Presbyterians to pray to God to so enlighten and influence the understanding and hearts of the rulers and people that all matters of difference may be amicably settled.

At the instance of Senator Drake the resolution was amended by omitting any reference to the possibility of war, and unanimously adopted.

The Committee on Church Polity reported in favor of erecting a new Synod, to be known as the Synod of Kansas, to consist of the Presbyteries of Kansas, Smoky Hill and Humbolt. Report adopted.

The Committee on Foreign Missions reported insufficient receipts to meet expenses and extinguish previous debt. The expenses were $343,798, and receipts $338,497. A resolution was adopted by the Assembly, pledging the Presbyteries to sustain the work.

At the afternoon session the Committee to correspond with the Grand Army of the Republic relative to the decoration of soldiers' graves next Sabbath, reported they were unable to find officers with whom to open correspondence, and were discharged. It was stated that the decoration in New Jersey will take place on Saturday and Monday.

The Stated Clerk reported the votes so far as known in Presbyteries on the basis of reunion as 36 in favor and 107 against. The report was recommitted for correction.

The report of the Committee on Foreign Missions was then discussed.

Without further action Assembly adjourned.

The New School General Assembly.

In the New School to-day, Rev. Dr. Darling, from the Committee on the Polity of the Church, read an overture from the Presbytery of Des Moines in reference to the dissolution of a church there. The Committee answered that the church is dissolved, and the Assembly confirmed the report,

The report of the standing Committee on Sabbath Schools was read. It recommends the Assembly to take the system under its protection, and through its influence impart new vitality to Sabbath Schools throughout the United States. The present attitude of the church is dishonoring and ought to be at once rectified.

A resolution was passed disbanding the permanent Committee on Sunday Schools.

At the afternoon session Dr. Fisher read a report on the conference with other Presbyterian bodies. Delegates from the Old and New School, and from other bodies, met and unanimously agreed that reunion was most desirable if the way was clear. The following four points were submitted as a basis of reunion:

1st. The Old and New Testaments are accepted as the rule of faith.

2d. The Westminster Confession and Catechism, slightly modified as far as regards civil law, is adopted as a full and accurate interpretation of Holy Writ.

3d. The United Church is to accept the Presbyterian form of government.

4th. The United Church accepts the Psalmody and prescribes its use.

The report was referred to the standing Committee on Re union.

Dr. Hastings, of the standing Committee on Publications, read the report of the permanent Committee, congratulating the Assembly on the advance made during the year, and asking a more hearty co-operation. Considerable discussion followed.

The report was finally adopted. The Committee from the Reformed Church was announced, with a circular proposing a Convention of all evangelical denominations in this city next fall. It was referred to a special committee.

It appears the basis of union previously alluded to, in case of adoption, is to be referred to a Joint Committee to meet in Pittsburgh in August, to consider such further questions as may be necessary to the formal consummation of the union.

Adjourned.

Presbyterian Assembly South.

MOBILE, May 25.—The Presbyterian Assembly on Monday appointed a committee to revise the form of government and discipline. The committee reported, in part, to-day. The Assembly recommends its Presbyteries to throw their licentiates, as far as practicable, into destitute fields.

On the subject of co-operation with General Assembly of the Old School in the labor among the Freedmen the following was unanimously adopted: That inasmuch as the correspondence of the Secretary of the Committee on Freedmen of the General Assembly of Presbyterian Church in the United States of America with the Secretary of Sustenation of our Church, has developed no practicable mode of co-operation between the two churches in the efforts to evangelize the Freedmen, this General Assembly is not prepared to take any steps contemplating the proposed concert of action.

Resolved, That the Secretary of Sustenation is hereby instructed to communicate the foregoing resolution to the Committee on Freedmen of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Churches in the United States of America.

A resolution on the maintenance of simplicity in church music was laid over.

A missionary meeting was held Monday night.

A plan was reported for insuring the lives of ministers and a resolution introduced looking to an amendment in the charter of the church.

At the meeting to night several addresses were made on the subject of education and publication.

—Scott and Munson, of No. 9 Hall St., New York, storage merchants, disappeared on Saturday last with $65,000 in their possession, the proceeds of a fraudulent sale of 75,000 bushels of oats stored with them. The owners of the oats are not known, but are supposed to be western men.

CINCINNATI.

The Southern Railroad Enterprise.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, May 25.—D. N. Stanlon, of Boston, President of the Chattanooga and Alabama Railroad, read the following proposition to the Committee to-day:

If Cincinnati selects Chattanooga as the Southern terminus of the proposed road, we are prepared to build a first class road from that point to the Kentucky State line, near Chetwood, and will have it equipped and running as soon as Cincinnati can meet us at that point. With the aid which Cincinnati offers we will also undertake the construction and equipment of a first-class railroad from the same point to Cincinnati, and will take a perpetual lease of this part of the road on reasonable terms. The whole line from Cincinnati to Chattanooga shall be so arranged as to run as one through line, and in interest of Cincinnati perpetually, and as soon as your trustees can meet us we shall be ready to enter into an arrangement on a basis of the above.

D. N. STANTON,
J. T. BURR,
R. T. PAINE, SR.

Judge Mills represented the Nashville interests, and Col. Walden the Decatur claims. The meeting was large and much interest felt.

CUBA.

The Affair With Fillibusters.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, VIA KEY WEST, May 25.—Advices from Santiago de Cuba of the 19th instant give the following account of the affair with fillibusters in the Bay of Nipe: According to the reports of the Spaniards themselves, it is supposed the expedition landed from the steamer Peril. The Spanish troops surprised the party, attacking and taking their position, with seven guns and a flag marked "given by E. C. Villevarde to the Riflemen of Liberty." The fillibusters rallied, re-captured their position and guns, but lost the flag. They fired upon the Spanish steamer Marsella, putting two shots through her hull. The gunboat African arrived off the shore but soon left for Nuevitas to bring reinforcements. The excitement at Nuevitas was intense. A steamer had been dispatched to communicate with authorities at Havana. The steamer Peril arrived at Kingston, Jamaica, on the 15th inst., where she was quarantined because she had touched at Cuba.

HAVANA, May 25.—Captain General Dulce has issued a decree ordering the military authorities in eight specified jurisdictions to seize all the horses and prevent their falling into the hands of the rebels. The owners are to be paid for their animals, which are to be used in the government service.

THE CAPITAL.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 25, 1869.

MILITARY ACADEMY VISITORS.

The following gentlemen compose the board of visitors appointed to attend the annual examination at the Military Academy, which convenes 1st June: Gen. D. Hunter, Gen. W. Q. Gresham, Indiana; Gen. Jno. Eaton, Tennessee; Hon. B. F. Loan, Missouri; Judge C. H. Warren, Massachusetts; Dr. M. B. Andersen, President of Rochester University, New York; Rev. R. L. Stanton, D. D., President of Miami University, Ohio.

THE INDIAN COMMISSION.

A Commission is to meet here to-morrow, consisting of eight gentlemen, appointed by the President in pursuance of an act of Congress, to consult and advise as to the proper mode of expenditure of the $2,000,000 appropriated for the benefit of various Indian tribes at last session

—The sale of the New Orleans, Opelousas and Great Western Railroad took place on Tuesday, at New Orleans, by virtue of an order from the United States Circuit Court, under the auspices of Ex-United States Marshal F. J. Herron. The principal interests represented were the Illinois Central Railroad, the Mobile and Chattanooga Railroad, and the bondholders of the road. The first bid was $1,000,000, next $1,500,000. The bids then proceeded by hundreds of thousands to $2,000,000, which was bid by Mr. Paul Blanc, on behalf of the bondholders of the road, to which amount he was limited. C. A. Whitney, representing Charles Morgan, bid $2,050,000, at which amount it was knocked down after a moment's pause, and $75,000 immediately paid as a guarantee. Mr. Whitney announced it was the intention of Mr. Morgan, who was present in person, to immediately set about extending the road to the Saline. The actual sale occupied barely ten minutes.

—An important decision was made in the Chancery Court of Davison county, Tennessee, yesterday. The Legislature of 1866 passed an act to liquidate the Bank of Tennessee, and setting apart all the coin returned from the South after the war as school fund. A bill was filed in the Chancery Court to carry out the purposes of the law, and Mr. Cockrill, a large individual depositor, filed a cross bill, claiming that the Legislature had no authority to dispose of the coin as it had done, and that the act was in violation of the clause of the Federal Constitution preserving the sacredness of contracts; that the returned coin was properly the assets of the Bank, and should be used to pay individual depositors. Chancellor Otis decided that the Legislature had not exceeded its power, and ordered the enforcement of the law. Cockrill has appealed to the Supreme Court.

—A colored man named Bates, residing at 131 Fourth avenue, Chicago, on arriving at his house, Monday night, between six and seven o'clock, was informed by his wife that his little son Jake, an intelligent boy of eight years, had been caught lying and stealing. This aroused the passions of the parent to an intense degree. Seizing a heavy cowhide, he took the boy and commenced flogging him. Being in the heat of passion, he beat the boy until he was too tired to longer continue his cruel work, and then went outside to talk with a brother-in-law. The boy, completely exhausted, managed only to crawl to his bed and expired. The father went to inquire for the Coroner, and was at once arrested and committed for trial.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

NEWS BY CABLE.

English Press Still Discussing Alabama Claims—Result of the Elections in France—Expected Evacuation of Rome by French Troops—Austrian Consul Assassinated in Italy.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, May 24th.—The papers here have striking articles on American matters. The *Star*, Bright's organ, takes up the theme of the recent speech of Mr. Foster, of Parliament, and endeavors to show that the neutrality proclamation was a real benefit to the North. It assails Mr. Sumner for endeavoring to endanger the peace between the two countries, and argues that while general society in England favored the South, the laboring class undoubtedly sympathized with the American Government.

It further declares that the general opinion may probably be unfavorable to the Irish Church bill, but is certainly opposed to an ample and statesmanlike settlement of the Irish land question, which is sure to be the next great act of the Government, and will be established despite of such feeling. It therefore believes it to be impolitic on the part of the American stateman to spurn the friendly offer of a few million dollars for the purpose of claiming fabulous damages for futile affronts offered the abashed upper ten thousand.

The *Standard*, Tory organ, bitterly assails the Radicals for addressing Americans in language of affection and admiration. The flattery with which the Americans have been besmeared is the cause of their existing menacing attitude. No man with English blood in his veins could deal with Mr. Sumner's speech in such a feeble and unmanly strain. America is deceived by the belief that England meekly endures the insult and will humbly submit to the chastisement, and all but committed itself by the message addressed to such a nation as England which could but answer the challenge uttered by America. It remembers the plain facts of war, and cannot be humbuged into the belief that the bulk of English people approved of the subjugation of the South. Such assertions make Americans believe that England, by telling lies, wishes to escape a thrashing. We were never guilty of meanness in denying the sympathies we entertained in order to escape the displeasure of the successful party. The educated classes who sympathized with the South are a nation in which the masses are only followers.

LONDON, May 25.—It is definitely learned that the rumored alliance of France, England and Spain against the United States is without any foundation.

LONDON, May 25.—The *Times* this morning, in an editorial on the French elections, says: The chief cities repudiate the idea of the Empire, and a revival of political activity will result, which condemns the present government. The restoration of Parliamentary government may conciliate the existing feeling. By such means only can the Emperor expect to mitigate an opposition which has not yet become anti-dynastic.

General Ripley, formerly of the Confederate army, has passed through bankruptcy. His liabilities are fixed at £37,000, and his assets at £50,000.

CORK, May 25.—Parties have been discovered here engaged in secret drilling with arms at night and three men have been arrested.

Cyrus W. Field has arrived here to take a steamer from Queenstown for New York.

FRANCE.

PARIS, May 25.—Dispatches from Marseilles report that there has been much excitement in that city over the elections. Large crowds paraded the streets shouting "*Vive la Republique.*" Places of business were closed in anticipation of a riot. At last accounts order had been restored.

The result of the elections in Paris and Lyons was favorable to the anti-Imperial candidates. It is reported Rochefort has been chosen. Seventy-three elections have been completed. They show the following result: Government candidates, official, elected forty-nine; Independent, nine; Democratic, three, and in the remaining twelve there was no result.

PARIS, May 25—*Evening.*—The excitement over the elections is very great and the Boulevards are crowded with people anxious to hear the results. Further returns announce the election of eight official candidates, three independent, two Democrats and two Liberals. In addition to those reported this morning, Raspail, Favre and Dorian are elected.

PARIS, May 25—9 P. M.—Returns of sixty-two more completed elections are received and show the following results: Official candidates elected 48. Independent 11, Opposition 3. Zolliver, defeated in Paris, has been chosen for Var. David, Grevy, Periere and Schneider are re-elected. Arago is defeated. It is now considered probable the full returns will show a larger majority for the Government than was anticipated.

The feeling on Bourse at the close of the day was confident and firm.

PARIS, May 25—*Midnight.*—All returns received up to this hour show one hundred and ninety-six official and twenty-six opposition members elected. The election in forty-eight districts still remain undecided.

The *Moniteur* has reports that France and Italy have completed an arrangement for the evacuation of Rome by the French troops in September.

ITALY.

FLORENCE, May 25.—The Austrian Consulate at Leghorn, while walking with Col. Grenville, was killed by an assassin, and Col. Grenville was wounded. The crime is said to have been prompted by motives of private revenge, and Col. Grenville was the intended victim.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, May 25.—Hon. John Jay, the new American Minister, has arrived.

MARINE NEWS.

BREST, May 25.—Arrived, the French steamer Lafayette, from New York.

QUEENSTOWN, May 25.—The steamer Pennsylvania, from New York, has arrived.

QUEENSTOWN, May 25.—The steamers City of London and Marathon, from New York, have arrived.

HAVRE, May 25.—The steamer Cellie, from New York, has arrived.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, May 25.—Consols 93¾. Five-Twenties 79. Stocks steady: Erie 19; Illinois 95. Tallow 42s 9d. Sugar firmer at 39s 9d.

ANTWERP, May 25.—Petroleum dull at 47¾ francs.

HAVRE, May 25.—Cotton 139½ francs on spot.

FRANKFORT, May 25.—U. S. Bonds 85⅜ and dull.

LIVERPOOL, May 25.—Cotton dull; middling uplands 11⅛@11¼d; Orleans 11⅜@11½d: sales 8,000 bales. California white Wheat 7s; red western 7s 6d. Flour 21s 7d. Corn; mixed 27s 6d. Oats 3s 4d. Barley 5s. Peas 38s 6d. Pork 100s. Beef 90s. Lard 66s. Cheese 82s. Bacon 59s. Common Rosin 4s 9d; fine 15s. Spirits Petroleum 6½d; refined 1s 8½d. Tallow 43s 8d. Turpentine 27s 9d.

PARIS, May 25.—Bourse firm; Rentes 71 francs 75 centimes.

HAVRE, May 25—*Evening.*—Cotton closed at 139 francs for tres ordinaire on spot, and 137 francs for low middlings to arrive.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—Yellow fever is still fatally prevalent in Peru.

—Mr. McColley, U. S. Consul at Callao, died April 17th.

—Gen. Robt. Anderson and family sailed yesterday for Europe.

—The steamer Rising Star arrived at New York from Aspinwall, yesterday, with $591,000 in treasure.

—Charles Starr, Superintendent of the Tarrytown Gas Works, N. Y., committed suicide yesterday morning.

—The Austrian ship Figleaf, and the steamship Norwalk, were sunk in New York harbor on Tuesday by collisions.

—President Grant and several members of the Cabinet visited Annapolis, Md., yesterday, to attend the annual examination of Naval Cadets.

—A tunnel for pure water, similar to the one at Chicago, will be commenced at Cleveland immediately. It will cost about three hundred thousand dollars.

—The Commercial Convention at New Orleans adjourned over till to-day, the delegates going on an inspecting tour to the mouth of the Mississippi yesterday.

—Hon. Jeremiah S. Black, of Washington City, at Louisville, Ky., on a business visit, met with a severe accident on Monday, but received no dangerous injury.

—Sporting men in Cincinnati are in ecstacies over the time made by Herzog on the Buckeye race course. It is claimed to be the best on record—one mile in 1:43½.

—The Semi-Centenary of the Presbyterian Board of Education was celebrated at New York last evening, at Brick Church. Several interesting addresses were delivered.

—Colonel F. N. Wilker, of Lockport, New York, has been appointed, by Secretary Boutwell, Special Treasury Agent for 16th Customs Revenue District, with headquarters at Sitka, Alaska.

—Advices from Hayti report that Salnave had recently declared a suspension of hostilities for three days and offered amnesty to all rebels who surrendered, and many availed themselves of the offer.

—By the falling of a scaffold at Cincinnati, yesterday afternoon, Peter Finnerty was killed, and Peter Scherer and Jacob Benedict fearfully injured. All three were bricklayers engaged at work.

—The Right Worthy Grand Lodge of Good Templars of North America is holding its annual session in Oswego, N. Y., this week. Nearly every State and Territory and the Provinces of Canada are represented.

—The Rhode Island General Assembly met Tuesday morning at Newport. Hon. Ben. T. Ames, of Providence, was elected Speaker of the House. The votes for State officers were counted and the new officers sworn in.

—The New England Woman Suffrage Association held a meeting last night at Boston. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe presided. Speeches were made by Hon. Jas. W. Steelman, of Rhode Island, and Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, of Chicago.

—News is received from Eau Claire, Wisconsin, to the effect that forty buildings were destroyed there by fire Sunday morning. The fire broke out in the Chandler House, consuming that and all the block on both sides to the Postoffice.

—Over one million dollars' worth of property was destroyed by a fire at Hunter's Point, New York, Tuesday morning, originating in Provost's oil refinery. Over four acres of ground were burned over, and included in the conflagration were a brig and eight propellors.

—Mr. B. H. Van Auken, President of the Durango Silver Mining Company, attempted suicide at New York, yesterday, by cutting his throat with a razor at his office, No. 73 William street. His recovery is pronounced hopeless. No motive is assigned for the rash act.

—A fire near the machine shops of the Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, Prairie Du Chien Division, in Milwaukee, destroyed 125,000 feet of lumber, three hundred cords of wood and the dry house. No other buildings, no cars, engines or other property destroyed.

—Instructions sent to New Orleans by the Navy Department to get ready for service as soon as possible eleven iron clad vessels laying at Algiers, causes some talk in political circles, and many surmises are made as to where the vessels are to be sent by the department.

—At Cleveland, Ohio, Monday night, the building belonging to Millers & Co., malsters, was destroyed by fire. Loss, twenty-five thousand dollars; insurance, five thousand dollars. The loss is mostly on malt destroyed and damaged. It is supposed the fire originated from a kiln.

—The American Unitarian Association, in session at Boston, elected Thomas D. Eliot, of New Bedford, President, and Henry Kidder, of Boston, and Seth Padel Ford, of Providence, Vice Presidents. Receipts of the year $98,345. Sixty-nine Societies have been aided during the year.

—The Northern Pacific Railroad Company is making preparations for sending out an exploring party, to pass over the entire route from Lake Superior to Puget Sound. Thos. H. Canfield, General Agent of the Company, has called on Gen. Sherman to arrange for a military escort for a portion of the distance.

—Frank O. Jones, a lad aged eleven years, son of J. Russell Jones, and Leon Gratiot, aged 13 years, son of General Charles H. Gratiot, were drowned Monday afternoon in the Pecatonica, at Gratiot, Wisconsin. They went out to fish in the morning and were not missed till evening. The bodies were recovered.

—At Atchison, Kansas, a heavy thunder storm prevailed Monday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Fisher's house was blown to atoms, at Effingham Station, on the Central Branch Road. Four persons were in the house at the time. One lady was blown two hundred feet and others to various distances; all more or less hurt, none seriously.

—The Spanish Consul in New York has filed a libel in the U. S. District Court against the steamer Quaker City, now called the Columbia, on the ground that she was intended to violate the neutrality laws by giving aid to Cuban insurgents. Judge Blatchford granted the necessary order and U. S. Marshal Barlow seized the vessel.

—Panama papers of May 17th report virulent small pox on board the British war steamer Cameleon, in that bay. Mosquera's election as President of Colombia, was considered certain. A resolution was pending in the Senate to reconsider the treaty or enter into negotiations anew with the United States for a canal across the Isthmus of Darien.

—The New England Branch of the American Tract Society met at Boston yesterday. The annual report shows the receipts $38,441, while the New England has also contributed $33,000 to the New York Society. Thirteen Colporteurs have been employed, and 1,355,000 pages of religious reading circulated. A number of interesting addresses were delivered.

—Several letter boxes in the Boston Postoffice were found broken open Tuesday morning and robbed of their contents. Among them the Suffolk Bank missed letters containing checks amounting to one hundred thousand dollars, which were subsequently found in the cellarway and returned to the bank. Several young boys are suspected as the perpetrators.

—An explosion occured at Weeks & Co's. oil works, near Bull's ferry, New Jersey, Monday afternoon, which blew off the roof, injured some twenty men, and set fire to all the buildings, covering an acre. Page, Kelley and Co's carriage factory and oil dock was also burned. The loss is estimated at $160,000. Three of the injured men are expected to die.

—Two negro men, committed to jail in Manchester, Texas, charged with rape, were taken out on last Saturday by disguised men and hanged. The affair created intense excitement in Manchester and Coffee county, as the men had been tried, and the proof was not strong enough to convict. Citizens followed the trail of the rascals next day, but were unable to overtake them.

—London papers report the completion of the French Atlantic cable, except one hundred and seventy miles. The whole will be finished this month and the Great Eastern sail June 10th for Brest, whence she would start immediately for St. Pierre, off Newfoundland, while two other ships would sail for St. Pierre direct to lay the portion of the line between St. Pierre and Duxbury, Mass.

—The steamer Quaker City, at New York, is claimed to be under British protection, and is alleged to have gotten a clearance, previous to her seizure, through the British Consulate. It is also said she was chartered to carry a cargo of flour to Kingston, Jamaica, by Mr. McAndrews, a British merchant in high repute. When seized there were fifty men on board, which the Spanish Consul contends is more than necessary to man the vessel.

—The following vessels which arrived at New York quarantine Monday morning, have been detained, having small pox on board: Steamship Kedan, from Liverpool, with 670 passengers; City of Antwerp, from Liverpool and Queenstown, with 1,072 passengers; Nebraska, from Liverpool and Queenstown, with 1,295 passengers; and North German bark Cedar, from Bremen, with 265 passengers. The patients, who with one or two exceptions were from Sweden, were sent to the small pox hospital at Blackwell's Island. No deaths had occurred.

—The Convention of the New England Labor Reform League was held yesterday at Boston, E. H. Paywood, of Worcester, in the chair. Resolutions against the monopoly of gold and silver by the Government, affirming the wrongfulness of taking interest, urging the abolition of national banks and substitution of Treasury certificates of service for the present Government currency, condemning the Massachusetts Legislature for refusing to repeal interest law and Governor of Connecticut for seeking to have the rate of interest raised to seven per cent., urging the organization of leagues throughout New England, also the establishment of free reports of markets, were adopted. Several addresses were made in furtherance of the objects of the League.

—The second day of the Criminal Court at Jacksonville, Illinois, for the trial of Wm. A. Robinson for the murder of Hon. Murray McConnel, commenced at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning. At the opening of the Court Judge Shaw, of counsel for the prisoner, suggested to the counsel for the State that the names of the twenty-four jurors impannelled for the trial of the cause be placed in a box and a man blindfolded be instructed to draw out twelve names, who should be accepted by both sides as the jury to try the case. Wm. A. Brown, the State's Attorney, objected, and the Court ruled that he had no authority to make the order without the consent of both parties. Both sides then announced themselves ready to proceed with the trial. The jury was called and out of the ninety-six men composing the regular and special pannels only eight were agreed to by the counsel on both sides. The jury will probably be completed to-day.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 25.—Beef Cattle; receipts 148 head; prices about the same as last week. Sheep and Lambs; receipts, 1,189 head; market slightly improved; sales at 4½@9½c.

A Reported Burglary in Allegheny.

According to report a most daring but unsuccessful burglary was perpetrated in the Third ward, Allegheny, on Thursday night last. The story runs thus: Somewhere in the Third ward, Allegheny, there resides a Mrs. Gibson, a widow lady, who, rumor says, is richly endowed with worldly goods, consisting of ready cash and a valuable farm on the outskirts of the city. Recently it was reported she had disposed of the farm and was to receive a large sum of money Wednesday evening in payment therefor. Thursday evening she retired at nine o'clock, as usual, having securely fastened the doors and windows of her dwelling, and slept soundly until about half-past twelve, when she was awakened by an unusual noise in the lower part of the house. Being only partially awakened, she paid but little attention to the noise, thinking that it was her daughter, whom she expected home that night; but a few moments later the noise increased and she distinctly heard footsteps approaching her sleeping room. She became alarmed, but before she had time to cry for assistance the door opened and two men, with white handkerchiefs tied over their faces and black slouched hats on their heads, leaving only the eyes and upper portion of the face exposed, came into her bed chamber. One of them drew a revolver, and after informing her that they did not intend to injure her if she remained quiet, but would most assuredly kill her if she made the least noise or attempted to give the slightest alarm whatever, politely demanded her money. She told them she had no money in the house, which it appears they did not believe, and demanded the keys of an escritoier, in which they supposed the money was kept. The keys were produced and the search made, but they found no money. She stated to them that she had received no money in the house, and never kept it there, but that she kept her money in bank and checked it out as she needed it. They requested to see her bank book, which was produced, and confirmed what she had told them, when, after making her swear that there was no money in the house, and, further, that she would not call the police to have them captured, they took their departure. On going down stairs the next morning, she discovered that a pannel had been cut from the back door, and the door which had been fastened with a bolt, unbolted. A careful examination of the premises shows that the burglars were after money and wanted nothing else, as nothing had been disturbed, further than we have stated.

How much truth there is in the report we do not pretend to say, but give it just as we received it, but are of the opinion that it is an old story revived, as we have an indistinct recollection of publishing an account of a similar transaction which was said to have occurred in the same locality about three months since.

Grand Opening of J. W. Barker & Co.'s New Store, No. 20 Sixth (St. Clair) Street, this Day.

Messrs. J. W. Barker & Co., the well known and extensive dry goods dealers, No. 59 Market street, have just completed a branch store at No. 20 Sixth street, late St. Clair, which they propose opening to-day with an entire new stock of seasonable goods. The new building is a beautiful and commodious one, fitted out in magnificent manner, and adds largely to the appearance of the thoroughfare. The main salesroom is entered by a broad doorway between two mammoth French plate windows which are tastefully adorned with vari-colored goods, pleasing and attractive to the eye. Light counters and shelving grace the salesroom, and the walls and ceilings are elegantly painted and frescoed. The light streams in from the large windows in front, a central skylight and a mammoth window in the rear, and customers will fully appreciate this benefit and convenience in making their selections of colored goods. The stock is new and fresh, having been selected with unusual care and judgment by the senior member of the firm, who holds his residence in the East and thus secures all the advantages a fluctuating market can afford. It embraces dress goods of all styles and descriptions, housekeeping goods, cloths, laces, embroideries, hosiery and notions. In the matter of dress goods a wide range for selection will be offered at the opening to-day from the richest and most luxuriant silk to the humblest and most tidy domestic print. The prices will be found, as Barker's prices always are found, as reasonable as the closest buyer could expect. The second floor of the new house has been assigned to a cloak, shawl, and dress department, where the latest styles may be obtained to suit all tastes. Full suits are made to order in the fashion and in splendid style of workmanship. We urge our lady friends to be present at the opening of the new store to day to see what is to be seen, for they will be made welcome whether they desire to purchase or not.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The Chapman Sisters are drawing large audiences to the Opera House. Last evening "Cinderella; or the Little Glass Slipper," was presented with Miss Blanch Chapman in the title *role*, Miss Ella as Dandini, and the inimitable C. B. Bishop as Clorinda. The singing of Blanch and Ella is excellent, and their acting equally good. To-night the burlesque of "Fra Diavola" will be presented.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—The "Forty Thieves" continue to attract numerous persons to the Pittsburgh Theatre, and Gus Williams is also a great attraction.

MASONIC HALL.—Haverly's Minstrels played to a crowded house at Masonic Hall last night, and as the entertainment was an excellent one, they will doubtless be well patronized during the time they remain here, which will be but two nights more.

NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—Cotton nominal at 28¼c for middlings; sales 650 bales; receipts 900 bales. Gold 140. Exchange; sterling 153½; New York sight par. Flour dull; superfine $5,30; double extra $6,80; treble extra $6,25. Corn: 90c for white. Oats 80c. Bran $1,30. Hay firm at $30. Pork $32. Bacon: 13¼c for shoulders; 17¼@17½c for sides. Lard: tierce 18½@18¾c; keg 19¼c. Sugar: common 9⅜@10¼c; prime 13⅛c. Molasses: fermenting 39@40c; reboiled 60@65c. Whisky 87½@95c. Coffee unchanged.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

MEMORIAL DAY.

To-day, let all gather around
Each grass-covered hillock and mound,
Which covers a slain soldier's bed,
With rev'rence and love, our tributes we bring.
O'er each grave a bright floral token we'll fling.
In memory of the loved one's now dead.

Come, fathers and mothers! since yet
Your sacrificed sons you cannot forget,
Whose blood for their country was shed;
With sorrowing hearts and forms bended with years,
Come—each drop a flower bedewed with your tears,
In memory of the loved ones now dead!

Come, widowed wife, with heart rent in twain,
Weeping for him who died not in vain,
Lying now in his lonely earth-bed;
As the day rolls around, with each passing year
Oh! come to his grave and here drop a tear
In memory of the loved one now dead!

Dear children—we ask you too, to come
And think of the time when your fathers left home,
And for our country so willingly bled;
Now, the State is your father, for you to provide,
To love and protect you, whatever betide,
For the sake of the brave ones now dead!

Let the patriot join our gathering band
Who loves the calm peace smiling over the land,
Though never his comrades to battle he led;
Let him drop a flower, with prayers offered above
O'er the graves of our heroes who still live in our love,
Since he does not lie with the loved ones now dead!

You may pass some grave, all silent and lone,
No name at its head, speaking out from the stone
Telling who lies, unknown, in that narrow bed;
Then, drop a bright flower, since well you may know
That hearts mourn to-day, o'erburthened with woe,
For the loss of that loved one now dead!

S. L.

EPHEMERIS.

—Garabaldi is ill.

—Offenbach is writing a novel.

—Eugenie is forty-three years old.

—Small pox has appeared in New York.

—Cheyenne is to be the capital of Wyoming.

—Mr. Shellabarger sailed for Europe to-day.

—$2.50 is the price of a peach in Boston now.

—A rooster with horns is in existance in Colorado.

—440 fiddles are to be used in Boston at the jubilee.

—Patti and Caux are said to be thinking of a divorce.

—Croquet is a favorite amusement in the Sultan's harem.

—Carolina beets (live ones) are said to be as large as hams.

—England gets more wheat from Russia than from America.

—Gymnacypidium is the newest velocipede name in New York.

—A Swiss colony has settled in Goldsborough, North Carolina.

—An exchange calls the Empress Carlotta "a howling lunatic."

—An exchange says gold is often found in quartz, but never in gallons.

—A match is talked of between the father-land and the mother-country.

—Mr. Seward has purchased real estate on South Broad street, Philadelphia.

—Napoleon is now a member of the British Institution of Civil Engineers.

—Miss Anna Dickenson is reported to have saved $100,000 from her earnings.

—Australia is to have a feast. America is going to give her Hell-er, the magician.

—The French critics are pulling L'Homme Qui Rit to pieces very merrily.

—Lotta is interested in Cuban independence, and gave $600 to the Cuban fund.

—Two feet and a half of snow is all that remains of that substance in Northern Maine.

—Mr. Corcoran has bought Senator Sumner's house, in Washington, for $65,000.

—Only nine of the candidates for Mr. Washburne's seat in Congress remain in the field.

—A newspaper advertisement recently informed the public that "two sisters want washing."

—Gen. Robert Anderson is too poor to live in America and is going with his family to Europe.

—The Marquis of Bute is about to be found and endow a large hospital for lepers at Jerusalem.

—Sixty five thousand is said to be about the number of students at the various European universities.

—$8,500 per diem was Stewart's income last year. We suggest that he pay off the National debt.

—Strackosh is to pay Alboni $30,000 for singing in Rossini's mass for two months next autumn.

—Napoleon's Life of Charlemagne approaches completion, and the first volume will shortly be published.

—The lessee of Jeff. Davis' plantation below Vicksburgh, is a negro who pays ten thousand dollars a year for it.

—Robert E. Lee is a delegate to the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the diocese of Virginia.

—The double complimentary benefit given to Mr. John Brougham by the actors of New York last week netted $11,500.

—Since De Canx's marriage, Mr. Herbert Jerningham has had the honor of leading many of the cotillons at the Tuileries.

—It seems that after all the French cable is not to terminate at Cape May, as land for that purpose has been purchased at Duxbury, Massachusetts.

—Lady Vane Tempest, said to be the most charming women English society has seen for years, is the belle of the Imperial salons at Paris just now.

—A temperance punster says: The custom of drinking health is frequently the way to lose it. It is a ceremony that is sometimes quite too full of spirits.

—Five cents a basket is the price of strawberries in New York, but the baskets are small. Strawberries retailed here on Monday for thirty cents a quart.

—The Sultan pardoned half a-dozen Crstan leaders, by way of compliment to the Princess of Wales, when he learned that she had received an appeal on their behalf.

—"Make hay when the sun shines" is to become an obsolete saw, as an Englishman has invented a machine to make hay when the glorious orb of day is not effulgent.

—An English gentleman intends to send over a colony of eight hundred families to Nelson county, Va., where he has has purchased nearly four thousand acres of land for their use.

—A society has been formed in Huntington, Mass., for the purpose of setting out shade trees, improving the streets, and enforcing the laws for the protection of trees, fruit and useful birds.

—Sentimental people are still very numerous, and in France abound. Large numbers of bouquets, for instance, are sent daily, from all parts of the Empire, to be placed on Lamartine's grave.

—A Cuban bride is said to have worn recently the richest bridal dress ever seen in New York. It is hardly to be wondered at, however, as the wearer is said to be worth $20.000,000 in her own right.

—Numbers of Swiss are settling in Grundy county, Tenn. They have brought the architectural ideas of their fatherland with them, and their picturesque cottages are the admiration of the natives.

—A common person can cross the English channel, from Dover to Callais, for about two dollars, but when Prince Christian crossed, recently, the English people had a bill of $350 to pay. Princes are expensive luxuries.

—It is gratifying to know that that theatre in New York where only dramas of the highest standard are produced, has had the largest receipts. In April Booth's theatre took in $44,000, Niblo's $38,000 and Wallack's $35,000.

—In Cleveland they have a novel way of getting rid of their stray dogs. They catch all they can and shut them up in a pound, where they have no food, and so they devour each other. Those that are left are eaten up by the new comers.

—"Do you bear gold?" asked an anxious speculator of a leading operator, who, pocketbook in hand, stood before a butcher's stall. "No," was the reply, showing the portemonnaie, "nothing but greenbacks." "Bully," said the anxious speculator, as he withdrew.

—A family in Maine consisted of a grandfather who was six feet four inches in height, a father the same height and a son six feet six inches high. Twelve feet eight inches of this family have been interred, but the remnant being two yards and a sixth, still exists.

—A fellow at Peekskill is in jail for murdering his little daughter. He attempted to chastise his wife with the poker, when the child interceded and he hurled the weapon at her head. It stuck in her head, and she ran screaming to the street, where a passing man pulled it out. She died a few days ago.

—The Portland (Maine) *Advertiser* was a few days since printed on paper made of a kind of material never before used in the manufacture of paper—*Zizania aquatica*, or water rice. It grows in great abundance in many places in the Northwest, and the *Advertiser* predicts a great reduction in the price of paper in the use of it.

Washington Items.

Extensive preparations for the decoration of the 40,000 soldiers' graves in this vicinity, are being made. President Grant has ordered the Departments and all Government shops to be closed on that day as a mark of respect to the memory of those who died while serving under his command. Gen. Sherman has ordered Dupont's battery to report for duty at noon on Saturday to fire a national salute. Gen. Meigs has ordered all cemeteries in the United States to be opened.

Secretary Boutwell has not yet determined what to do with the proceeds accruing from the extra million gold he will sell this week. He has, however, determined that he will not buy more than one million of bonds this week. He is being pressed to buy up three per cents with his surplus, but this he does not seem to look upon with much favor, and it is not unlikely that there will be warrants drawn this month for legitimate purposes sufficient to use up nearly all his surplus in currency.

General Butler looks upon a war with England as a measure of national economy, as it would prevent further importations, which just now are the most serious drain that the country has to endure, and as the war would be a naval conflict, it would, consequently, be the most cheaply conducted and best. Commerce under the English flag would enable the United States to pay its war expenses from captures. [Very Butlerish.]

A Wedding Over a Corpse.

A wedding under extraordinary circumstances was celebrated in Poughkeepsie on Wednesday. The couple move in fashionable circles, and the event is the topic of conversation. On Tuesday, the father of the bridegroom, a wealthy and respected citizen of Poughkeepsie, died, was duly shrouded in the garments of death, the body was inclosed in a rich and costly coffin, the whole being placed in the parlor. On Wednesday, at noon, the old man's son led his affianced bride into the room where lay the body of the deceased parent, the bridal party walking solemnly up to the coffin, and the cover over the face of the corpse was removed. The Rev. Mr. Hageman, of the Second Reformed Church, then, amid breathless silence and by the open coffin, joined the young couple in the holy bonds of matrimony. The bridegroom, when asked why he was married in such a manner, replied that the spirit of his father hovered about him, telling him to get married there and then.

HESTER VAUGHN left a few days ago for England, her departure from this country being a condition imposed upon her by Governor Geary, when he granted her a full pardon.

The Streets of Venice.

The Rev Matthew Hale Smith thus "does" Venice for the Boston *Journal:*

Venice is entirely a unique city. It is by all means the City of Silence. It is the noisest city I ever visited. The gondolas are a convenience in getting about Venice; they are by no means a necessity. If you ride they only afford a conveyance. But you can go over the whole city on foot as readily as you can go over Boston or New York. The place on the Grand Canal have a water entrance, but they have also one to be approached on foot. The shops, the markets, the churches, the theatres, can all be reached without meddling with the canals. There are no teams, no horses, mules or carts in Venice. The bridges are crossed by steps, and everything that does not go by boat is carried on the head or shoulders. The gondolas are the cabmen, omnibus drivers and stevedores of other cities. Their voices are hoarse as ravens, and they fill the air with their loud calls from one to the other. The streets, as they are called, are mere lanes, from three to twelve feet wide, through which the busy throng tramp all day long. The grand promenaders are crowded with idlers, coarse women, untidy girls, unwashed men, and the unemployed, who are counted here by thousands. The band plays every day at two o'clock on the Grand Square, and around it gathers a group of as indolent, ill-clothed and forlorn set of human beings as I ever saw on the face of the earth. Monks go in platoons from church to church, and beggars meet one everywhere. The poor in the city are very numerous and are very poor. Their tattered clothes are pieced with every variety of color; they wear large wooden slippers; their sallow and wan complexions, their untidy appearance disgusts, while it excites sympathy. The Rialto, which is the exchange of Venice—where the markets are, the stores, and where the unemployed crowd meet—is a sight on a morning. The rude breakfast eaten out doors, poor fare, unwholesome soup, a handful of snails and food that turns one's stomach to look at, with the crowd partaking of it, takes much of the poetry of the canals and gondolas away. In cool weather Venice is quite tolerable, but in warm weather the smells from the unwholesome canals, with the vermin that abounds, takes much of the romance of a visit to this place away. Little patches of green are seen in all parts of the city. Trees planted in boxes are placed on the marble pavements, window gardens are common, and plants and flowers are cultivated on the housetops.

Are Breeches a Breach of Propriety?

Mrs. Dr. Mary E. Walker, who has made herself unenviably notorious by her bloomer garb and her persistent seeking after office, having failed to accomplish her purpose in the other departments, has now laid siege to the Bureau in the Interior Department. A few days since she sought admission to the room of Commissioner Fisher, of the Patent Office, for an interview, and while patiently awaiting a response to her card, the venerable Mrs. Gen. Gaines emerged from the Commissioner's room, and after eyeing Mrs. Walker's peculiar bloomer garb for a few moments, accosted her with the question:

"Is this Mrs. Dr. Walker?"

Mrs. Walker replied affirmatively.

Mrs. Gaines—"Will you allow me to give a piece of advice?"

Mrs. Walker—"I will not pay anything for your advice, but if it is given freely I will be happy to receive it."

Mrs. Gaines—"I shall make no charge, and if you act upon it you will be benefitted by it."

Mrs. Walker intimated her readiness to hear what was to be said.

Mrs. Gaines—"Well, my advice is to go home and pull off those breeches at once, and not disgrace your whole sex by wearing them."

Mrs. Walker—"If I do so, will you adopt me as your daughter?"

Mrs. Gaines—"I don't think I would, I have too many adopted daughters already."

Mrs. Walker—"If you would adopt me as your daughter, and give me everything you have in the world, I would not abandon my principles and ideas or change my mode of dress."

Mrs. Gaines—"You are injuring yourself by dressing so. Had I put on breeches I should never have succeeded in establishing my rights. I never put on breeches; no, not even my husband's, and with the blessing of God I never will."

Mrs. Walker—"You may not wear this costume, and yet dress as unbecomingly in another garb. You wear feathers and flowers in your hair, while there is nothing of the kind to be seen about mine."

The argument upon the merits of the two styles of dress waxed warm, and had attracted a large crowd of clerks and visitors, when Mrs. Walker was summoned to the presence of the Commissioner, and the two ladies departed in opposite directions.—*Washington Letter.*

Wages in Philadelphia.

As strikes for higher wages are the order of the day at present, among mechanics, workingmen, and citizens of different kinds, the Philadelphia *Inquirer* gives a statement of the comparative rates of wages earned by mechanics in 1860 and the past year, and demanded for 1869:

1860.—Bricklayers, $1 75 to $2 50, 10 hours; carpenters, $1 75, 10 hours; coopers, $1 50, 10 hours; horse shoers, $2 to $2 25, 10 hours; iron moulders, $1 75, 10 hours; laborers, $1 25 to $1 50, 10 hours; painters, $2, 10 hours; plasterers, $1 75, 10 hours; book and job printers, $12 per week; morning papers, $15 per week; do., seven days, $19 per week; 28c. to 32c. per 1,000 ems; paper stainers, $2; slate roofers, $1 75 to $2; stair builders, $1 50 to $2; waiters, $15 per month and board.

1868.—Bricklayers, $4 50 to $5, 8 hours; carpenters, $3 50 to $4, 10 hours; coopers, $4 to $4 50, 10 hours; horse shoers, $3 50 to $5, 10 hours; iron moulders, $2 50, 10 hours; laborers, $2 50, 10 hours; painters, $3 50, 8 hours; plasterers, $4 50 to $5, 8 hours; printers—book and job, $18 to $20 per week: morning papers, $22 per week; do. seven days, $24 per week, 48c. to 50c. per 1,000 ems; paper stainers, $3; slate roofers, $3 50, 8 hours; stair builders, $3 75 to $4 50; waiters, $30 per month.

A MAN OF BROAD UNDERSTANDING.—A Boston shoemaker sends to the *Transcript* the following as the dimensions of the foot of the last Dr. Spring: Length, 13 inches; width across toes, 12 inches; between toes and instep, 13 inches; instep, 14¼ inches; across the heel, 18½ inches; ankle, 16½ and 16¾ inches. His weight was 585 pounds.

POLITICAL.

STATE SENATOR.

☞ FOR SENATE,

GEORGE WILSON

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my4

☞ FOR SENATOR,

SAMUEL B. CLULEY

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my5

☞ FOR SENATOR.

GEO. H. ANDERSON

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my5

☞ FOR SENATOR.

THOMAS HOWARD

Will be a candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention my5

ASSEMBLY.

☞ FOR ASSEMBLY,

VINCENT MILLER,

Will be a candidate for ASSEMBLY, subject to the decision of the Republican County Legislative Convention. my25:c76T

☞ ASSEMBLY.

DAVID L. SMITH,

Of Allegheny City, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention. my21

☞ FOR THE ASSEMBLY,

ALEXANDER MILLAR,

Of McKeesport, subject to the decision of the Republican Legislative Convention. my20:j58

☞ FOR ASSEMBLY. — The NAME OF

GEO. H. HOLTZMAN,

Of Ross township, will be presented in the Republican Legislative Convention, June 1st, ensuing, for nomination to represent Allegheny county in the next session of the Legislature. my26

SHERIFF.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,

WILLIAM G. STUBES,

Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention my11-d&T

☞ FOR SHERIFF.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the usages of the Republican party; and if successful pledge myself to devote all my energy to an honorable and faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

ap13:d&F H. S. FLEMING.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,

JOHN H. HARE,

Of Pittsburgh, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap28-D&F

☞ FOR SHERIFF.

I would respectfully announce to the citizens of Allegheny county that I will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the next ensuing Union Republican County Convention.

FRANK DUFF,

ap20:h70:DF Ohio Township.

☞ FOR SHERIFF.

JOHN A. WATSON,

Of Elizabeth township, late private Company D, 79th Pa. Vols., will be a candidate for the office of SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention. ap20:h73DF

☞ FOR SHERIFF.

WILLIAM A. HERRON,

Will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. mh25:g19-d&F

☞ FOR SHERIFF,

JOSEPH ROSS,

Will be a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap21:

☞ SOMETHING TANGIBLE FOR SOLDIERS' WIDOWS AND ORPHANS.

To the Independent Voters of Allegheny County:

The undersigned, with a view of rendering the widows and orphans of the brave soldiers from Allegheny county, who fell in defense of their country in the late rebellion, some substantial and permanent assistance, offers himself as a candidate at the election on the second Tuesday of October next, for the office of SHERIFF, solemnly pledging and binding himself, in case of his election, that one-half of the net profits of the office shall be appropriated for the benefit of said widows and orphans. The Judges of the Court of the county to be the trustees of the funds, under whose direction the same shall be disbursed.

J. Y. McLAUGHLIN.

Offices, 96½ Fourth avenue and 325 Liberty street. my18

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

JOSEPH IRWIN,

Will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap27:i16

☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

ROBERT CUNNINGHAM,

Of 2d ward, Pittsburgh, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. my4-D&T

☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

CHAUNCEY B. BOSTWICK,

Of the Twentieth ward, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my7:d&F

☞ FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

GEORGE HAMILTON

Will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. my5

RECORDER.

☞ FOR RECORDER.

B. A. SAMPSON,

Of the Sixth ward, Allegheny, (late Manchester,) will be a candidate for Recorder, subject to the action of the approaching Republican County Convention. my8:j94-d&T

☞ FOR RECORDER,

AUGUSTUS BECKERT,

Allegheny City, late private Fifth Excelsior Regiment. Lost a leg in the Second Bull Run Battle. ap27:i14-D&F

☞ FOR RECORDER,

THOS. H. HUNTER,

LATE NINTH REG'T PA. R. C.

my4.159

☞ FOR RECORDER.

H. M'MASTER

Will be a candidate for Recorder, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

☞ FOR RECORDER,

HENRY SNIVELY,

Will be a candidate for nomination to the office of Recorder for Allegheny county, subject to the decision of the approaching Republican County Convention. ap30:i22

POLITICAL.

CLERK OF COURTS.

☞ FOR CLERK OF COURTS,

JOHN G. BROWN,

Millvale borough, late private Co. H, 102d Reg't Penna. Vols., subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap:6.

☞ TO THE CITIZENS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY: I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of CLERK OF COURTS, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. I would state that I ask the office but for ONE TERM, at the termination of which I would cheerfully retire, believing that there are others equally entitled to the honor and emoluments of the office, and as competent as myself. I will be under obligations to the citizens of the county for their support. Very respectfully,

JOSEPH BROWNE,

Late 102d (old 13th,) and 5th Pa. Vol. Regt. mh23:g47

COUNTY TREASURER.

☞ FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

J. F. DENNISTON,

(Late Brevet Major U. S. Vols.,) will be a candidate for renomination, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap27 1-3-D&F

☞ FOR COUNTY TREASURER

COL. J. B. COPELAND,

Of Elizabeth township, will be a candidate for the above office, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap23.h87:D&F

REGISTER OF WILLS.

☞ FOR REGISTER OF WILLS

JOHN KEIL, JR.,

SUBJECT TO THE DECISION OF THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

☞ FOR REGISTER OF WILLS

JOSEPH H. GRAY,

Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap29:i2s

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP, SEAWEED TONIC AND MANDRAKE PILLS will cure Consumption, Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, if taken according to directions. They are all three to be taken at the same time. They cleanse the stomach, relax the livor and put it to work; then the appetite becomes good; the food digests and makes good blood; the patient begins to grow in flesh; the diseased matter ripens into the lungs, and the patient outgrows the disease and gets well. This is the only way to cure consumption.

To these three medicines Dr. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivaled success in the treatment of pulmonary Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter in the lungs, nature throws it off by an easy expectoration, for when the phlegm or matter is ripe a slight cough will throw it off, and the patient has rest and the lungs begin to heal.

To do this, the seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills must be freely used to cleanse the stomach and liver, so that the Pulmonic Syrup and the food will make good blood.

Schenck's Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, removing all obstructions, relax the ducts of the gall bladder, the bile starts freely, and the liver is soon relieved; the stools will show what the Pills can do; nothing has ever been invented except calomel (a deadly poison which is very dangerous to use unless with great care,) that will unlock the gall bladder and start the secretions of the liver like Schenck's Mandrake Pills.

Liver Complaint is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption.

Schenck's Seaweed Tonic is a gentle stimulant and alterative, and the alkali in the Seaweed, which this preparation is made of, assists the stomach to throw out the gastric juice to dissolve the food with the Pulmonic Syrup, and it is made into good blood without fermentation or souring in the stomach.

The great reason why physicians do not cure Consumption is, they try to do too much; they give medicine to stop the cough, to stop chills, to stop night sweats, hectic fever, and by so doing they derange the whole digestive powers, locking up the secretions, and eventually the patient sinks and dies.

Dr. Schenck, in his treatment, does not try to stop a cough, night sweats, chills or fever. Remove the cause, and they will all stop of their own accord. No one can be cured of Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Canker, Ulcerated Throat, unless the liver and stomach are made healthy.

If a person has consumption, of course the lungs in some way are diseased, either tubercles, abcesses, bronchial irritation, pleura adhesion, or the lungs are a mass of inflammation and fast decaying. In such cases what must be done? It is not only the lungs that are wasting, but it is the whole body. The stomach and liver have lost their power to make blood out of food. Now the only chance is to take Dr. Schenck's three medicines, which will bring up a tone to the stomach, the patient will begin to want food, it will digest easily and make good blood; then the patient begins to gain in flesh, and as soon as the body begins to grow, the lungs commence to heal up, and the patient gets fleshy and well. This is the only way to cure Consumption.

When there is no lung disease and only Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, Schenck's Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills are sufficient, without the Pulmonic Syrup. Take the Mandrake Pills freely in all bilious complaints, as they are perfectly harmless.

Dr. Schenck, who has enjoyed uninterrupted health for many years past, and now weighs 225 pounds, was wasted away to a mere skeleton, in the very last stage of Pulmonary Consumption, his physicians having pronounced his case hopeless and abandoned him to his fate. He was cured by the aforesaid medicines, and since his recovery many thousands similarly afflicted have used Dr. Schenck's preparation with the same remarkable success. Full directions accompany each, making it not absolutely necessary to personally see Dr. Schenck, unless patients wish their lungs examined, and for this purpose he is professionally at his Principal Office, Philadelphia, every Saturday, where all letters for advice must be addressed. He is also professionally at No. 32 Bond street, New York, every other Tuesday, and at No. 35 Hanover street, Boston, every other Wednesday. He gives advice free, but for a thorough examination with his Respirometer the price is $5. Office hours at each city from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic each $1 50 per bottle, or $7.50 a half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents a box. For sale by all druggists. my19:151-d&F

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From the 1st to the 12th of JUNE, inclusive.

Those who wish to see the Doctor in Philadelphia should correspond at Baltimore.

SPECIALTY.—Treatment and Cure of Nervous and Physical Debility. my12

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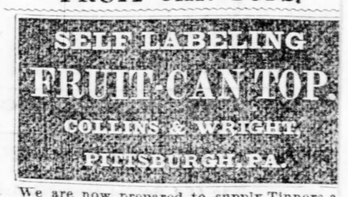

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Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Cotton heavy; ales of 200 bales, at 28½@28¾c for mid- ing uplands. Flour; receipts 147 bbls; arket very dull and strongly in buy- s' favor; sales of 5,100 bbls, at $5,40@ 70 for superfine State and western; @6,35 for extra State; $5,80@7,75 for xtra western; $6,80@7,75 for white heat extra; $6,15@7,25 for R. H. O.; @8 for common to fair extra St. Louis, d $9@12 for good to choice. Rye Flour without material change; sales of 200 ls at $4,75@6,00. Corn Meal quiet and changed. Whisky firmer; sales of 350 ls western at $1,10@1,12, free. Wheat; ceipts 48,958 bush; market 1c better d less active; sales of 48,500 bush, at ,43@1,45 for No. 2 spring delivered, the tter price for retail parcels; $1,48 for . 1 do. delivered; $1,52½@1,53 for am- r Michigan; $1,70 for white California; ,80 for white Michigan. Rye quiet and ooping. Barley and barley malt nom- al. Corn—receipts of 25,117 bush— ened steady and closed quiet at about advance; sales af 64,000 bush; 70@81c r unsound new mixed western; 82@91c r sound do western yellow; 90c for old ixed western in store; 97c for do deliv- ed. Oats—receipts of 26,100 bush—1c wer; sales of 26,000 bush; 74½@75½c r western afloat. Stock of grain in arehouse: 764,599 bush wheat, 213,613 ush corn, 506,178 bush oats, 99,312 bush e, 388 bush barley, 100,705 bush malt, ,675 bush peas. Rice steady. Coffee ore active; sales of 1,000 sacks Rio on ive terms. Sugar moderately active; les of 300 hogsheads Cuba at 11¼@13c. olasses firmer; 867 hhds Cuba at 53c, and c for Porto Rico. Petroleum firm at ½@15¾c for crude, and 31½c for re- ned. Hops quiet at 6@14c for Amer- an. Linseed Oil is without decided ange. Spirits Turpentine quiet at 47 48½c. Pork quiet and steady, with les of 540 bbls at $31,25@31,37 for new ess, closing at $31,25 cash, $31,00@31,12 r old do., $24,50@28,00 for prime, $28,00 28,25 for prime mess. Beef is steady; les of 185 bbls at $8@16 for new plain ess, $12@18 for new extra mess. Tierce eef dull, with sales of 25 tcs at $22@ for prime mess; $26@32 for India mess. eef hams firm; sales 225 bbls at $24@37. t meats quiet; sales 235 pkgs at 12¾@ c for shoulders; 15½@16c for hams. iddles quiet; sales 100 bxs at 16¾c for ort ribbed; Cumberland cut and short ear both on private terms; also, 250 s Stratford cut and Staffordshire, sel- rs for June, at 16½c. Lard lower; sales 0 tcs at 17@17¾c for steam; 18¾@19c r kettle rendered; also 250 tcs steam, ivers for July, at 19c. Butter quiet at @38c for Ohio; 36@40c for State. Cheese eady at 19@22½c. Freights to Liver- ool firmer and very quiet.

Latest—Flour closed dull and 5c lower. Wheat quiet and scarcely so firm for pring, and heavy and strongly down- ard for winter. Rye nominal at $1,25 r western. Oats dull and heavy at 74½c r western afloat. Corn quiet at 70@81c r unsound and 87@92c for sound new ixed western. Pork dull at $31,30 for ess Beef dull and scarcely so firm. acon steady with a moderate inquiry. ard dull and heavy at 18¼c for good to rime steam. Eggs quiet at 18@20c.

CHICAGO, May 25.—Eastern Exchange ull at 1-10 per cent discount buying and 10 per cent premium selling. Flour uiet; sales of spring extra at $4,85@5,85. Wheat is in fair demand with sales of No. at $1,17@1,17¾; No. 2 at $1,13½@1,14¼, losing with sellers at $1,13¾, and buyers $1,13½; sales since change at $1,13¼@ 13¾. Corn quiet but firm; sales of No. at 67@69c; No. 2 at 59@59½c; rejected 55½@56c; new at 56½@57¾c; no rade at 44@46c, closing with sellers No. at 68c; unchanged this afternoon. Oats uiet; sales of No. 2 at 59½@60c, closing 59¼@59½c. Rye quiet and easier losing at $1,09 for No. 1. Barley dull nd nominal at $1,50@1,55 for No. 2 in tore. Highwines are dull and nominal. ew Orleans Molasses at 95@1,00. Sugar 13¼@14¾. Common to choice pro- isions quiet but firm. Mess Pork at 31,50. Lard at 17½@18c. Rough sides t 15c buyer June. Hogs dull, and 15@ 0c lower; $8,20@8,75 for fair to medium; 8,85@9,12½ for good to choice. Cattle ctive and steady at $6,00@6,62½ for ood cows and light steers; $6,75@7,60 or fair to extra shipping steers. Re- eipts during the past twenty-four hours: ,627 bbls, flour, 69,248 bu. wheat, 53,340 u. corn, 58,868 bu. oats, 1900 bu. rye, 64 bu. barley, 3,322 hogs. Shipments: 600 bbls. flour; 2,348 bu. wheat, 11,468 u. corn, 110,769 bu. oats; 441 bu. barley, ,130 hogs. Freights active and firm at ½c on corn, 7c on wheat to Buffalo, and 0c on wheat and corn to Oswego.

CINCINNATI, May 25.—Flour is very dull, with sales of family at $6@6,25. Wheat is offered more freely and prices re lower, closing at $1,23@1,25 for No. 2 winter, and $1,28@1,30 for No. 1. Corn s in light supply and moderate demand, at $1,56 for ear. Oats firm and in de- nand at 68@70c. Cotton is firm and quiet, with sales of middling at 27@27½c. Tobacco is in good demand, with sales of 68 hogsheads at $4,55@9,50, closing ac- ive and all offered taken. Whisky is ending upward, closing with no sellers below $1,05; it sold at $1,02. Mess Pork s quiet and held at $31@31,50, but there s no demand and prices are nominal. Lard is not enquired for, but it is held at 18½c. Bulk meats are in demand and prices are higher, with sales at 12½ and 14¾c for shoulders and sides, but at the close were held at 12½ and 15c. Bacon sold at 13¼, 16½ and 17c, for shoulders, clear rib and clear sides, but prices were held ¼c higher at the close. Sugar cured Hams are firm at 18@19c. Butter is in fair demand at 33@36c for fresh. Eggs are held at 17@18c, and the supply is light. Linseed Oil is firmer, at $1,05@ 1,06. Lard oil is unchanged, with sales of extra at $1,45. Petroleum is dull at 32c for refined. Sugar is firm but un- changed. Coffee is held higher, with sales of common to choice at 21@27c. Molasses is firm at 75@82c for New Orleans. Gold, 140¼ buying. The money market is easier at 8@10 per cent. Exchange is dull at 50 discount, buying, and 50 premium, selling.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—Tobacco active at full prices. Cotton—no sales. Hemp is dull with sales of common to fair un- dressed at 95c@$1,28. Flour—spring ex- tra sold at $4,25@4,75, fall superfine $5,15 @5,25, spring double extra $5,25@5,75. Wheat—spring 1@2c lower at $1,08@1,18 for common to fancy in sacks, $1,10@1,11 for No. 2, and $1,15 for No. 1. Corn is buoyant and higher for choice and fancy; bulk sold at 60@63½c, mixed 65c, mixed white sacked 70@71c, mixed 75c, and 77c for white, latter fancy Southern. Oats slow but firm at 68@69c. Barley $1,60@ 1,70 for prime to choice spring. Rye very dull, with small sales on private terms, supposed to be lower. Whisky higher, sales at 99@$1,00. Groceries quiet and unchanged. Provisions very stiff. Pork sold at $31,25@31,50 for heavy and extra heavy; bulk shoulders loose at 12c; bacon shoulders 13c; clear rib sides 16¾c; clear sides 17c; sugar cured hams 20c. Lard held above buyers' views; small jobbing sales of 18 tierces keg at 20c. Cattle, de- mand steady at 4@7½c. Hogs steady at 8@9¼c. Receipts—flour, 3,800 bbls; oats, 22,000 bushels; wheat, 21,100 bush; bar- ley, 200 bush; corn, 10,600 bush; rye, 200 bush; hogs, 800.

LOUISVILLE, May 25.—Flour steady; superfine $5,00@5,75. Bagging quiet; 2 lb Kentucky hemp 21½@23c; Butter, country 22@27c; receipts liberal. Cotton quiet and weak; middling 26¾c; low middling 25½@25¾c; good ordinary 23½@24c. ordinary 22½@23c. Cement steady at $2@2,25. Potatoes; old firmer at $1,15@1,35; new quiet at $8@9. Feathers: choice 85c; demand good. Grain quiet, but demand steady. Wheat $1,30@1,50. Corn: shelled and ear in bulk sell at 65 @67c. Oats 65@68c. Rye $1,42@1,45. Groceries firm but unchanged. N. O. Sugar: prime 14½@15½c. Rio Coffee: prime 25½@26c. N. O. Molasses: prime 75c. Hay: choice timothy on wharf $22,- 50. Whisky: raw has advanced to $1,05; there is no stock on hand. Provisions firm and higher; mess pork $31,50@32. Bacon shoulders 13¾@17c; clear rib sides 17@17¼c; clear sides 17½@17¾c. Hams: fancy sugar cured 19½@19¾c. Lard steady: prime tierce 18½@19c. Leaf Tobacco active; sales 394 hhds at $5 for trash to $13,25 for leaf.

CLEVELAND, May 25.—The flour mar- ket is dull and the tendency of prices downward; city made XXX white $9@ 9,25; XX amber $7,75; XX red $6,75@7; X red $6; XX spring $6,25@6,50; country brands are held at $7.50@8,50 for XX white; $6,50@7,50 for XX red; $5,50@6 for red; $6@6,75 for XX spring. Wheat dull, heavy and lower; No. 1 red winter $1,40; No. 2 do. offered at $1,25 without buyers; No. 1 Milwaukee spring nomi- nal. Corn market dull and inactive: prime yellow held at 71c; No. 1 mixed 69c; No. 2 do without inquiry. Oats stea- dy but dull; light sales reported at 67c for No. 1 State. Rye dull and inactive. Bar- ley nominal. Petroleum dull and inac- tive for the home and western trade; refined held at 27½@28c for standard white in large lots; for the trade in five barrels or less 2@3c advance is obtained.

TOLEDO, May 25.—Flour dull; double extra and fancy brands at $5,50@8. Wheat dull and lower; amber at $1,38@ 1,38½ on spot, and $1,39 buyer June; No. 1 white Michigan offered at $1,70, and $1,65 bid; No. 1 red at $1,37. Corn 1@2c better and moderately active; No. 1 72c, No. 2 70c, yellow 75c, no grade condition guar- anteed at 60c. Oats quiet and steady at 68c for No. 1 and Michigan. Rye dull and nominally unchanged. Barley nom- inal. Receipts: 4,700 bbls flour, 9,000 bus wheat, 11,700 bus corn, 5,500 bus oats. Shipments: 1,800 bbls flour, 4,800 bus wheat, 8,600 bus corn, 6,800 bus oats.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—Flour great- ly depressed but unchanged, except No. 1 western extra family, at $6@6,75. Wheat dull and red unchanged; amber $1,60@ 1,62. Rye sells at $1,43. Corn advanced; sales 4,000 bu yellow at 90c. Oats dull and lower; sales 2,000 bu western at 80c. Petroleum—more doing; sales 2,000 bbls crude at 21½@22c; 5,000 bbls refined at 31½c. Provisions unchanged. Whisky $1,05@1,10.

BALTIMORE, May 25.—Flour is quiet. Wheat is dull, with sales of fair to good red at $1,40@1,60, and prime to choice at $1,90@2,10. Corn is dull, with sales of prime white at 85@86c, and yellow at 86@88c. Oats and Rye are unchanged. Mess Pork is firm at $32. Bacon is active, with sales of rib sides at 17c, clear sides 17¾c, and shoulders at 14¼c. Hame are held at 19@20c. Lard is quiet at 19@20c. Whiskey firm and scarce at $1,10@1,12.

MILWAUKEE, May 25.—Flour dull and prices unchanged. Wheat firm; $1,17½ for No. 1, and $1,14¾ for No. 2. Oats quiet, 59c for No. 2. Corn firmer, 61c for new rejected. Rye dull, $1,10 for No. 1. Barley nominal. Grain freights quiet, but firmer; wheat to Buffalo 5½c, to Os- wego 10c. Receipts—4,000 bbls flour, 90,000 bush wheat, 8,000 bush oats. Ship- ments—5,000 bbls flour, 171,000 bushels wheat, 5,000 bush oats.

LOUISVILLE, May 25.—Cattle active and the prices sustained: common 3¾@ 4½@5½c; good 5½@6c; choice 6¼@6¾c. Hogs in fair demand; heavy 8½@9¼c; fair 6½@7c. Sheep in good demand; sheared $3,30@4,50.

DETROIT, May 25.—Wheat—receipts, 6,000 bus; market strong for choice extra white winter at $1,79; No. 1 do. $1,61@ 1,62. Corn 72c. Oats 67c. Potatoes 38c. Bran 16c. Course Middlings 20c; fine 25c.

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PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, May 25.—5 bbls oil, Hanna & Co; 18 cads tobacco, H Dal- myer; 10 bbls lard oil, 10 bxs candles, Munhall & M; 25 tcs hams, J H Parker; 10 do lard, J Lippincott; 5 do do, 1 car bulk meat, Myers & Co; 25 bdls, 28 pcs iron, Riesick & Bro; 100 tcs hams, Dal- zell & T; 10 cases tobacco, J Wilson; 24 caddies do, Lindsay & M'C; 11 hhds do, Weyman & Bro; 20 bbls liquor, O Clen- denning; 10 tcs lard, 10 cads tobacco, Watt, L & Co; 36 do do, 12 bxs do, con- signees. 1 car corn, J B Campbell; 15 sks oats, M'Henry & Hood; 20 do wheat, F Schild; 20 bbls eggs, 80 sks flour, T Beckett; 10 bales tow, G Danler; 1 case saws, Hubbard Bros; 1 case steel, Am Steel Co; 11 pkgs wheels, wagon seats, &c, Hare & Bro.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, May 24.—9 cars railroad iron, J B Dor- rington; 480 bbls oil, Anchor Oil Works; 160 do do, Waring, King Co; 1,280 do do, Fisher & Bro; 14 sks oats, Thos Donnelly; 20 do do, Moore & Mitchell; 15 do do, 50 sks corn, Adams & Austin; 12 rolls leather, W Flaccus & Son; 4 bbls eggs, 3 bxs butter Bruggerman & O'Brien; 6 kgs butter, 2 bbls eggs, L J Blanchard; 1 do do, 2 pkgs eggs, E Heazleton; 4 do do, 4 do butter, F Templeton; 17 bales hay, Keil & Ritchart; 49 sks oats, 16 do rye, owner; 50 sks oats, Bingham & Laing; 70 do do, R T Stewart; 94 do do, 3 do rye, Scott & Gisal; 15 sks oats, Geo Close; 9 do rye, A Whitten; 13 pkgs potatoes, R Stewart; 21 do oats, D West; 3 bbls eggs, W Seibert.

ALLEGHENY STATION, May 25.—1 car wheat, W McKee & Co; 8 do do, Kennedy G Bro; 43 bbls apples, Owens & Kennedy 43 sks corn. J Craig; 1 car do, M Steel & Son; 4 bbls eggs, E Ortemath; 4 do do, Seffendefer & Co; 1 car flaxseed, Ewer, Hamilton & Co.

RIVER NEWS.

The river continues to recede steadily with five feet six inches in the channel by the Monongahela marks. Weather yesterday cloudy and warm, with indi- cations of rain in the evening.

The Grey Eagle, Capt. C. L. Brennan, is the regular packet for Parkersburg to-day leaving promptly at noon.

The Glendale, Capt. Hare, is filling up steadily for St. Louis, and the Upper Mississippi, and is announced to leave forthwith. She is in all respects one of the best boats in the trade.

The Glendale will be followed by the Armadillo, Capt. McCarty.

The hull of Capt. Trinidad's new boat arrived from the boat yards yesterday, and will, we understand, be towed to New Orleans by the Matamoras, where she will receive her machinery and be completed.

The hull of Capt. Daniel's new boat for the Red River trade, has also ar- rived, and is lying near the point in the Allegheny River.

The Leonidas, for New Orleans, New York, for Nashville and Julia No. 2, for Zanesville, departed.

The Wauanita, Capt. C. A. Dravo, will positively take her departure for St. Louis and the Upper Mississippi to-day and passengers and shippers should bear this in mind.

There are no less than four new boats on the stocks at Freedom. One of these is intended for the mountain trade and is being built by Capt. Thomas W. Rea, and will have the machinery of the Lilly—built here several years ago by Capts. Brickell and Martin, and com- manded, for a time, by Capt. John M. Hare, now of the Glendale. Another is a towboat for Capt. J. V. M'Donald, and will have the machinery of the Lioness. Then there is a ferryboat, and another craft, but of what kind we are unable to state.

It is about time that we were having some new Ohio River boats. A great many have been destroyed within the past year, and, so far as we can learn, there is not a single new one in process of construction.

Capt. J. T. Stockdale has contracted for another new boat, and while not for the same parties, she is for the same trade, for which he built the Australia. This is Capt. Stockdale's third new boat this year.

Capt. D. L. Hendrickson, is now en- gaged as engineer on the Wauanita. This is the first engineering Capt. Hen- drickson has done for a considerable number of years.

The Australia arrived at Key West, Florida, on Sunday last, four days out from New Orleans.

—The Dexter has laid up at New Or- leans.

—Fifteen boats are reported laid up in Missouri river, between Fort Randall and Fort Sully, awaiting water.

—Measures are on foot to purchase a new boat for the Vicksburg and Napo- leon trade, the Plain City not being large enough.

—The Nashville *Union* and *American* says that "there is a project on foot among the steamboat men to withdraw entirely, for six months, from the navi- gation of all the Western rivers, and give shippers a full benefit of railroad transportation." We had not heard of any such project here.

—For the safety and better protection of boats passing through the Clarksville railroad bridge at night, the Nashville *Union* and *American* suggests the pla- cing of signal lights on the inside of each pier, about six feet above the water's edge.

—Alf. Sanford the newly appointed In- spector for St. Louis District, is an old New Orleans and St. Louis pilot and Captain. He is the first pilot ever ap- pointed to the position. He is an old personal friend of President Grant.

—Captain John Wilson, United States Inspector for the Nashville District, was engineer on the steamer Rifleman in 1823; on the Rambler in 1824, and on the Eclipse in 1827.

—There was rather a novel arrival of water-crafts at Parkersburg on Thurs- day. Four canal boats arrived there with 200 tuns of ice from Hartstown, Crawford county, Pennsylvania. They belong to the Erie Extension Line. The men in charge enjoyed the trip down the Allegheny and Ohio very much, as it was a new experience to them. The steamer Thompson will tow the boats up to Rochester, Pennsylvania, where their horses will be brought into requisition.

—Capt. McKinney has bought the Ar- gonaut No. 2, for six thousand dollars, and will take her to Omaha to transfer wood under a contract he has with the Union Pacific Railroad.

—The Cincinnati *Commercial* says: Dispatches from Louisville report the Silver Moon as having swung further out on the reef. She had got out a line and was in a fair way of working up off the reef, when the Cora S. passed down and parted the line. She now lies quartering across the current, with her head toward the Kentucky shore. There is no possi- bility of getting her off until the river rises. Capt. Merrielees entered protest at Louisville, and will turn her over to the underwriters.

—St. Louis advices under date of Sun- day, report as follows: The Bismarck will be the first boat to start in the St. Louis and New Orleans line, and will be followed by the Magenta and Belle Lee. The Pauline Carroll will form one of the line, and other boats to make up the full number, will be named soon. The wharf-boat is owned as follows; The Bis- marck owns one-sixth, and the Lizzie Gill, Mississippi and Pauline Carroll each one-sixth, and two other boats, to be commanded by Capts. J. H. Jones and B. R. Pegram, the rest. The W. R. Arthur will probably enter this line. The Mollie Able will commence to load to-morrow in the barge line. It seems to be the belief there will be a spirited contest between these two lines.

River and Weather.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, May 25.—River falling, with six feet five inches of water in the canal. Weather cloudy and warm.

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Notice is hereby given that the annual lists of SPECIAL TAXES, formerly termed LICENSES, and of the taxes on

Incomes, Carriages, Watches, Silver Plate,

&c., are now in this office, where payment will be received thereon by the Collector on and after the 1st DAY OF JUNE, 1869.

These taxes, having become due, must be paid before the 25th DAY OF JUNE, 1869; other- wise, additional expenses will be incurred by the tax-payer.

E. BUFFINGTON, Esq., Deputy Collector of the county of Armstrong, and EDWIN LYON, Esq., Deputy Collector for the county of Butler, will be ready to receive, after the 1st of June, for their respective counties, and will post notices designating the times and places, when and where they will be prepared to receive the taxes collect- able by them.

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PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R. and CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R. R. From May 9th, 1869, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, north side, Pitts- burgh city time, as follows:

Leave.		Arrive.	
Chicago Ex....	4:08 a m	Chicago Ex..	1:58 a m
Erie & Ygn Ex.	7:28 a m	Chicago Ex..	1:03 p m
Cl. & Whg M'l	6:13 a m	Wheeling Ex	10:48 a m
Chicago Mail..	6:58 a m	St. Louis Ex	7:08 p m
Chicago Ex....	9:43 a m	Chi'go Ex & Mail	4:08 p m
Cl. & Whg Ex	2:08 p m	Cleveland Ex	2:53 p m
Chicago Ex..	2:23 p m	Erie & Yg'n Ex	5:58 p m
W'e & Erie Ex	4:38 p m	Cl. & Whg Ex	6:53 p m
Depart from Allegheny.		*Arrive in Allegheny.*	
Bea'r Falls Ac.	8:58 a m	Leetsdale Ac..	6:58 a m
Leetsdale "	10:03 a m	Bea'r Falls "	8:38 a m
" "	11:58 a m	New Castle "	10:23 a m
Rochester "	1:28 p m	Enon "	9:13 a m
Enon "	3:58 p m	Leetsdale "	1:08 p m
Leetsdale Acc.	5:13 p m	Bea'r Falls "	2:43 p m
Bea'r Falls "	6:13 p m	Leetsdale "	4:33 p m
Leetsdale "	10:43 p m	" "	7:23 p m
Fair Oaks Sun- day Church.	1:13 p m	Fair Oaks Sun- day church.	9:58 a m

2:23 p. m. Chicago Express leaves daily. 12:03 p. m. Chicago Express arrives daily. J. M. KIMBALL, Gen'l Ticket Agent. J. N. M'CULLOUGH, Gen'l Superint't. my10

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On and after MONDAY, May 3d, 1869 TWO THROUGH TRAINS DAILY (except Sunday) will leave Pittsburgh Depot, corner of Elev- enth and Pike streets, for Franklin, Oil City, Buf- falo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

LEAVE PITTSBURGH.		ARRIV. IN PITTSBURGH.	
Day Ex.....	8:00 a m	Day Ex.....	5:15 p m
Night Ex....	7:30 p m	Night Ex.....	6:30 a m
Brady's B Ac	3:15 p m	Bradys B Ac	10:15 a m
1st Soda W'ks	9:45 a m	1st Soda W'ks	7:40 a m
2d Soda W'ks	6:30 p m	2d Soda W'ks	6:15 p m
1st Hulton...	6:45 a m	1st Hulton...	8:50 a m
2d Hulton...	12:00 m	2d Hulton...	2:00 p m
3d Hulton...	1:00 p m	3d Hulton...	1:05 p m
Arnold's Ac.	5:00 p m	Arnold's Ac.	7:40 p m

Church train to and from Soda Works leave Pittsburgh at 1:10 p. m. Arrive at Pittsburgh, (Sundays,) at 9 50 A. M.

Express trains stop only at principal points. Accommodation trains stop at all stations

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PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD. On and after April 25th, 1869, Trains will arrive at and depart from the Union Depot, corner of Washington and Liberty streets, as follows:

Arrive.		Depart.	
Mail Train.....	1:25 am	*Day Express..	2:15 am
Fast Line.....	1:45 am	Southern Ex..	4:50 am
Wall's No. 1..	6 20 am	Wall's No. 1..	6:30 am
Brinton Acc'n.	7:50 am	Mail Train.....	8:15 am
Wall's No. 2..	8:50 am	How'd Ac No 1	10:20 am

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 26, 1869.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of Allegheny county are requested to meet at the usual places for holding elections in the several wards, boroughs and townships, on

SATURDAY, MAY 29th, 1869,

And elect delegates from each election district to each of the three following Conventions, viz:

Two delegates from each to the COUNTY CONVENTION, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Sheriff, Recorder, Register, Treasurer, Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, Clerk of the Orphans' Court and Commissioner.

Two other delegates from each to the LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION, for the purpose of nominating one candidate for State Senator, for one year, to fill the unexpired term of Russell Errett, resigned, and six candidates for Assembly. And

Two other delegates from each to the JUDICIAL CONVENTION, to nominate one candidate for Judge of the District Court, and one candidate for Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, and elect eight delegates to represent the county in the Republican State Convention.

These Conventions will severally meet, in the city of Pittsburgh, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1869,

At 11 o'clock A. M., at the following places:

The COUNTY CONVENTION will meet at the COURT HOUSE.

The LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION will meet at CITY HALL, on Market street. And

The JUDICIAL CONVENTION will meet in MASONIC HALL, on Fifth avenue, between Wood and Smithfield streets.

The election of delegates will be held between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock P. M., and will be held, as far as practicable, by the Republican members of the election boards in the several districts; and in those districts where the Republican election officers are a minority of the regular election boards, the said officers are authorized to appoint enough additional officers to complete the board.

The voting in the cities and boroughs shall, in all cases, be by ballot, and in the townships by marking.

The President of each Convention will appoint a Committee of three, the three Committees thus appointed to meet together, as soon as practicable after the adjournment of the Conventions, and appoint a County Committee for the ensuing year.

By order of the County Committee.

RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.
JOHN H. STEWART, Secretary.

WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE—*Second page: Poetry, Ephemeris, Miscellaneous. Third and Sixth pages: Commercial, Financial, Mercantile and River News. Seventh page: Prairie Grasses and Fires, A Trip to North Carolina, etc.*

U. S. BONDS at Frankfort, 85⅛.

PETROLEUM at Antwerp, 47¾f.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 141½.

THE Pennsylvania Teachers' Association will convene at Greensburg, Aug. 10th.

WE SURRENDER much space this morning to communications from our friends, upon topics of great, general as well as local, interest at this time.

WE are authorized to withdraw the name of Col. J. B. COPELAND, of Elizabeth, as a candidate for the Republican nomination of County Treasurer. This action renders the nomination of Major J. H. DENNISTON a certainty.

NEW YORK carries the policy of abolishing restrictions upon the competency of testimony to the extreme but legitimate conclusion. She adopts the fullest scope of the law of evidence, as it has been recognized in Ohio, and admits the party as a witness in criminal proceedings, as well as in civil cases. In this regard, Pennsylvania yet lags behind the adjoining States. The New York press give a common expression in support of the new law, in the protection of rights and the furtherance of justice.

THE rejection of young DOUGLAS, the colored printer, by the Washington Typographical Union, has not reflected much credit to that body. The act is justly commented on by the leading papers of the country as evidence of the hollowness of that organization in its pretentions to elevate and protect labor. If DOUGLAS was capable to stand before the case and do his full share of labor in as creditable manner as a white compositor, his color should not have proven an impediment to his admittance into the Union. The same tyrannical spirit keeps women, who are nearly as competent as men in the work of type setting, outside the pale of the self-protectionists.

WE ARE authorized to state that THOS. EWING, Esq., whose name has been suggested by many friends as a candidate before the Republican Convention, for nomination to the Common Pleas Judgeship, declines to permit the further use of his name in the current canvass. Considerations altogether of a personal and not political character have influenced this decision, to which he has come against the urgent desires of a large number of his friends. He is profoundly grateful for the abundant manifestations of their regard, and of the general confidence of his fellow-citizens, but advises us that his present decision is inflexible. In thus retiring from the canvass, he leaves the field to gentlemen who have his warmest good-will, and whose rivalry has been, in all respects, open and honorable to him, to themselves and to the party whose support they solicit. This retirement, for the reasons and with the spirit which mark it, cannot fail to invest Mr. EWING with fresh claims upon the Republican good-will, and upon a still broader public confidence.

WE REPRINT the text of the lately enacted law of this Commonwealth commuting the term of imprisonment in our penitentiaries, of such convicts as shall, by good behavior in their confinement, entitle themselves to the benefit of the Act. It reads as follows:

Be it enacted, &c., That all prisoners who have been or shall hereafter be convicted of any offense against the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and confined in any State prison or penitentiary, in execution of the judgment or sentence upon such conviction, who so conduct themselves that no charge of misconduct shall be sustained against them, shall, if the Governor shall so direct, have a deduction of one month on each of the first two years; of two months on each succeeding year to the fifth year; and of three months on each following year to the tenth year, and of four months on each remaining year of the term of their sentence; and shall be entitled to their discharge so much the sooner, upon the certificate of the Warden or principal keeper of such prison or penitentiary, with the approval of the Board of Inspectors of the same.

NAPOLEONIC FRANCE.

The French elections are resulting, as anticipated, in a decisive triumph for the Imperial government. The canvass is not to be closed until this evening, but it is already ascertained that the opposition are barely able to retain the strength they had in the last Legislative Body. Considering that, of late years, the Emperor has inaugurated a marked enlargement of the popular rights, in the matter of public meetings and the freedom of expressed opinions, and that the elections now closing have been in fact still more free from the interventions of authority than any which France has known since the Emperor came in—we may well be satisfied that Napoleon III. is still Emperor by the consent and with the hearty support of a large majority of his people. An occasional *emuete* in the larger cities exhibits the constitutional safety-valve for the escape of the superabundant excitability of the proletarian classes. The more intellectual masses of the empire find vent, for their turbulent impatience of all restraint, through the press, which invariably pays the due penalties promptly. With these exceptions, the heart and the great body of the French nation are thoroughly with an Emperor who has, for twenty years, upheld French honor, gratified French pride, and conciliated every material interest of his people, with the smallest possible expenditure of their treasure and blood.

A PLAIN VIEW OF THE FACTS.

The recent letter of Prof GOLDWIN SMITH, to a London journal, warning his English countrymen that the Americans are ready for open hostilities, was followed by a public address which he has delivered at Ithaca, N. Y., and in which he controverts the positions taken by Senator SUMNER. Hereupon, a correspondent of the Boston *Post* addresses to the expatriated English Professor, the letter annexed:

TO GOLDWIN SMITH, ESQ:

I have read your letter to the London *Beehive*, also, portions of your published speech recently delivered at Ithaca, New York. Great learning sometimes warps the judgment. Suppose, for a moment, Mr. Smith, that a gang of armed men should take possession of your house and burn it to the ground, and upon your remonstrating with them upon the injustice thus done, they should quietly slip a pair of handcuffs upon you and detain you in that situation five days, with a feed of bread and water only. I had this done to a friend of mine by Englishmen on the high seas.

Suppose again, Mr. Smith, you should wake up some morning and find your property in a ship, to the amount of $50,000, had been burnt upon the high seas by a vessel which was built at Birkenhead, and which left English ports with the full knowledge of the English Government that she had no right thus to leave—and suppose for a moment further that the builder of the ship was a member of the House of Commons. Now, Mr. Smith, you being an Englishman think the House of Commons, as we say, *is some pumpkins*. Suppose then that this member, in making his boast of the doings of the ship, gloried in the fact that he not only built her, but that he aided her in her clandestine escape; all of which was received by the great and glorious House of Commons with cheers and shouts of congratulation. Your breakfast would not taste so good that morning, Mr. Smith. This is one of my cases.

And suppose once more that you should have still another vessel burned in a similar manner upon the high seas, and upon your making inquiry into the character of the vessel committing the outrages, you should find that she stood upon the Custom House to British owners,—to persons who called themselves merchants and respectable Englishmen; and they acted as her agents, both in fitting her out, while she was on the high seas destroying your property, and on her return to Liverpool;—your love and admiration for British neutrality laws would not be increased. And when you made your representations to the British Government of these outrages, in the first place you were met, with indignity, and lastly, instead of paying or proposing to pay, they only proposed to refer the matter whether under any circumstances you had a claim,—and if you had, why they could trump up something to balance it. I say, Mr. Smith, you might not agree entirely with what Mr. Sumner said, yet I think you would determine in your own mind that he was more than half right. HONESTUS.

PERFECT GOVERNMENT.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE GAZETTE:

The ideal of a perfect Government is one which combines in itself public virtue, or goodness of intention, wisdom and strength. It has been claimed that while in a Democracy, where the right of making laws resides in the people at large, public virtue or goodness of intention is more likely to be found than either of the other qualities of Government, yet there is more wisdom in aristocracies and more strength in monarchies. Theoretically, our government was intended to combine all these necessary qualities. The people being the court of last resort, we are a Democracy. Our laws being made by Legislatures, and not by the direct vote of the people, we are an Aristocracy; and the laws being carried into effect through officials chosen for specific terms, and removeable only for gross dereliction of duty, we are *protanto* a monarchy. Added to all this we have a thorough common school system, colleges of repute, religious and moral advantages, great natural wealth, in short, everything which is needful to constitute a virtuous, wise, strong, honest people. With the ideal thus hovering before us and within our reach, it seems strange indeed that we should have fallen to such a depth of abasement. The air is filled with rumors of corruption and dishonesty in high places. Our State Legislatures, from Maine to Californis, are alleged to be rotten with corruption. Congress is said to be no better. Governors are charged with taking bribes, and so down through the scale of offices from the highest to the lowest, until it would seem that there was a dearth of honesty in the land; that we were a nation of thieves and plunderers, lacking in every virtue and heaping up a burden of iniquities sufficient to blot out our national existence.

That there is much truth contained in these charges no attentive observer of passing events can deny. But why it should be so, and how can it be remedied, are questions so important as to require the careful attention of every well wisher of his country. It will not do to content ourselves with denouncing corruption; we must aim to remove it. No government can be wise or strong without public virtue. It lies at the foundation of all government. No doubt much of the prevalent corruption may be attributed to the derangement of the ordinary course of events attendant upon the late war. But is there not some latent defect in our social organism tending strongly to produce this condition of affairs?

It can not be attributed to political strife. For in the early days of the Republic, when party spirit ran as high as it does now, no such result followed. It cannot be attributed to our form of government. For theoretically that is all that can be desired. It cannot be attributed to lack of intelligence or of moral or religious advantages. For we have all these. What then is the cause of it? Simply this, it seems to me. Our best men are content to take no active part in the affairs of State. We send to our Congress and State Legislatures men whom we would not trust in the management of our private affairs. We put in office men who are known to have been dishonest in private life. We ask no recommendation but the endorsement of a party convention. I do not blame the conventions. They do the best they can. The evil lies back of that. They ordinarily represent the will of the people so far as expressed to them. We must take care that that will is properly and intelligently expressed. Good citizens must recognize the fact that it is just as important to attend primary meetings, and nominate reliable men for delegates, as it is to vote at the regular elections. But there is another matter which seems to me all important. The State must offer inducements sufficient to lead its best citizens to seek her service. She must pay for it. She must follow the example of her enterprising citizens. The rules of political economy are just the same for the State as for the citizen. While, therefore, the State will not pay for service as much as a competent, honest man can earn by attending to his private affairs, just so long will she be deprived of the services of her purest and best citizens.

Cheap public service has always been the bane of our country. It is a direct temptation to dishonesty in public life just as low pay is in private life. For instance, how many lawyers earning $10,000 a year by their practice would accept a Judgeship at $5,000. How many men earning $10,000 a year would risk the loss of their private business by accepting a Governorship at $5,000. Charity begins at home, and the State is no object of charity. Let her pay liberally and she will not be compelled to accept every Tom, Dick or Harry who seeks to enter her service. She will have the choice of the best men of the nation.

There is another matter, too, in which we might reform. Let every officer be paid a salary. So far as the official is concerned, do away with all fees. Many men are dishonest in trifles who would, in their beginning at least, scorn to do a great dishonest act. Remove the temptation!

When, therefore, we all can make up our minds to take our full share in all the machinery of government, voting whenever votes are being cast, we will have made a long step towards Reform; and when to that we add a liberal compensation to our officers, we will have fewer complaints of bribery and corruption.

J. S. F.

THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL AND THE "RINGS."

EDITORS GAZETTE: I have taken and read the *Commercial* since it was started, and I am glad to learn that the spirit of reform is actuating it to a vigorous attack upon corruption. With all efforts, either of that or any other paper, or individual, to expose and put down corruption, I most heartily sympathize. I commended the *Commercial's* course in denouncing the *pasters and folders* scheme of plunder. That deserved the severest reprobation. I commend its course and your own in favoring the nomination of Joseph Dilworth, Esq., for County Commissioner. But there is one thing, which seems to be the chief target of the *Commercial's* fire, that, as yet, I am utterly unable to see among the political phenomena of this county, and that is the "Rings." Now I will not undertake to say there are not "Rings," but I do say that I have taken a pretty active part in politics for several years, and if there are I have failed to discover them. What are the "Rings"? Who constitute them? Who have the honor, or dishonor rather, to be their chiefs? Where are their headquarters—if "Rings" have headquarters? These questions I for one should like to have answered. If there be "Rings" let the public know all about them. It has occurred to me that possibly those politicians who are active in the county Conventions are the subjects of this charge. If that be the case, the charge is not only groundless, but a most foul aspersion upon the men whose party zeal and fidelity win our victories. These are the men who do the work—who organize success. In convention they select the best men presented, nine times out of ten, and the people could not do more, if they could do as much in a contest, where the cities would have a numerical preponderance. To be sure they make mistakes. But look at the candidates ordinarily before conventions and say whether it is not impossible to help it. But I have drawn this out longer than I intended. I shall await the *Commercial's* answers to the questions put, and if it exposes "Rings" I shall go as far as anybody in endeavoring to overthrow them.

REPUBLICAN.

PITTSBURGH, May 25, 1869.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

MESSRS EDITORS:—In your issue of the 22d inst., I noticed a communication from Jos. Dilworth, Esq., accepting the position as candidate for the important office of County Commissioner, and proposing, if elected, to contribute all he receives as compensation for services rendered, to the support of the poor of Allegheny county.

I do not approve of Mr. Dilworth's proposition, and am astonished that a man of his intelligence and good sense should make such a proposal. Surely he cannot entertain the idea that none but those who have been fortunate enough, to have inherited riches or amassed fortunes and can afford to labor without compensation, should aspire to hold office. I hope not. Such notions of political economy might suit England, France or Russia, but in this land of liberty and equal privileges, where the masses govern and are the sovereigns of the country, it is the duty of all good citizens to guard well their rights, and see that the machinations of those possessed of wealth shall not degrade them to the level of mere serfs. The honest intelligent poor man should have an equal chance with the rich man in the race for positions of honor or profit.

As a friend of Mr. Dilworth's and one who wishes to see him nominated by the Republican Convention, I consider it due the intelligent voters of Allegheny county that he should disclaim any intention of reflecting upon the honest poor man, in proposing to serve the county of Allegheny for the benefit of the poor. I feel certain that Mr. Dilworth aims at doing right, and will be pleased to hear him define his position more minutely. A FRIEND.

EDITORS OF GAZETTE: This morning's *Commercial* contains a card from Mr. George H. Holtzman in reply to my inquiries in regard to the "Bank Tax Assessorship." It seems that he is the identical Assessor who got $1,200 from the State Treasury, for what would be a week's work for any ordinary bank clerk. If it took Mr. H. two months to perform the labor, as he asserts, he is *too slow* for a legislator. If he "accepted the office without knowing the compensation," when the fact, that the Assessor should receive seven per cent. of the amount assessed, was the only clear stipulation in the act creating the office, he is quite too dull for the position he now seeks. As to the "ring" having controlled the subsequent appointments to that office, the writer knows nothing. But that the Treasurer (Kemble) desired to avoid the scramble that would take place if it was known that the office existed, and appointed Mr. H. without solicitation, is drawing largely on the popular imagination. The current report at Harrisburg at the time was that the whole matter was arranged in the interest of a Senator before the bill had passed, for Mr. H. and the Senator's own son. But, perhaps, everybody was mistaken in that. *Who knows?* OBSERVER.

EDITORS GAZETTE: Mr. Holtzman is out in Tuesday's *Commercial* in reply to the interrogatory communication in the GAZETTE of the 22d inst. With virtuous indignation he is down on "office seeking rings." If he is not identified with such "rings," his own admissions certainly prove that he was not averse to "ring" favors—$1,200 for "about two weeks" serving is over $7,000 per annum. Pretty good piece of "ring" that—which he says he never asked for. Well, let us see how it came about.

Mr. T. J. Bigham was a chief in engineering the bill creating the office of Bank Assessor. He is well known to have been personally, and in sympathy, connected with the *Commercial*. We have Mr. Holtzman's admission that *he* also was on that paper. Mr. Bigham's son was his associate assessor and equal with him in the emoluments.

Now, notwithstanding Mr. H. asserts that he is "not afraid to approve the *Commercial's* course in opposition to corruption and bribery in every shape," don't that look like a little Holtzman-*Commercial* "ring." BANK PRESIDENT.

ALLEGHENY CITY, May 25, 1869.

To the Editors:—GENTLEMEN: In the GAZETTE of this morning "An Old Republican" inquired if I would be willing to serve if put in nomination for the Assembly.

To be perfectly candid, I would be *willing* to serve in that capacity, as I think every good citizen should be, provided the constituency desired or needed his services, and if it were possible for him to devote the required time. Nevertheless, I am not a candidate for nomination, nor do I expect my name to come before the Convention.

Very respectfully,
JOSIAH COPLEY.

THE Meadville *Republican* takes occasion to pay the following handsome compliment to one of our most worthy citizens:

We are glad to notice that a number of Republicans in Allegheny county have solicited D. N. White, Esq., to be a candidate for Assembly, and that he has signified his willingness to accept a nomination. "Deacon" White is a veteran Republican editor and politician, and one of the best men in Western Pennsylvania. With such men in the Legislature the corruption and rascality at Harrisburg would speedily be banished.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judges Hampton and Kirkpatrick.

TUESDAY, May 25.—The case of Guice vs. Stewart et al was resumed, and is still on trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

96. Com. of Pa. ex rel. vs. Plum Creek Church.
88. Faas vs. Cochran.
89. Balder vs. Morrison, Coegler & Co.
92. Hastings vs. McGee.
97. Kissling vs. Gillespie.
98. Leahy vs. Nobbs.
99. Kiehl et al. vs. Karnes.
102 Haller vs. Matthews.

Common Pleas—Judges Mellon and Stowe.

TUESDAY, May 22.—In the case of Frazier Brothers vs. Coulter, previously reported, verdict for paintiffs in the sum of $1,550.

Harper, Gutman & Co., vs. Williams, Verdict for plaintiffs in the som of $490.

Heath, for use, vs. Haigh. Action on a bond. Verdict for plaintiffs in the sum of $115000, the penalty of the bond, to be released upon payment of certain judgments, subject to the opinion of the Court on a question of law reserved.

Walter & Hutton vs. Leopold. Action on a book account. Verdict for plaintiffs in the sum of $105,20.

Kuldan vs. McKnight. Action in replevin. Verdict for plaintiffs in the sum of $12.50.

Holt vs. Storr & Emory. Action on a contract to recover damages. Defendant sold plaintiff a horse, which he warranted to be sound, and subsequently the horse died from a disease contracted, as is alleged by plaintiff, before the sale. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

January List.

8. Einstein vs. A. V. R. R. Co.

March List.

23. Thomas vs. Lindenfelser.
24. Stone vs. Kramer.
27. Stewart vs. Clark & Sumner.
28. Sloan et ux. vs. Deitrich.
39. Dalzel vs. Gamble.
30. Peebles vs. Peebles et ux.
33. Obedobil vs. Young.
35. Stoney vs. ———.
36. Gorman vs. McElroy.
37. Little, Baird & Patton vs. Felix et ux.
38. Robinson vs. Fairfield.

Entertaining the Soldiers' Orphans.

Mr. William Domes, the agent of the Country Milk Company, has kindly offered to supply the milk needed for the entertainment of the soldiers' orphans who will visit the city on Friday and remain until Saturday evening, to participate in the decoration of their fathers' graves. The ladies of the Decoration Committee take this method of acknowledging and accepting with thanks the generous offer, and would at the same time remind our grocers and bakers that ham, beef, cheese, coffee, sugar, rice, crackers and bread are needed for the entertainment of the children of our fallen heroes, and confidently feel that those who have always lent a helping hand, will continue liberally to do so on the present occasion. All donations should be sent to Masonic Hall on Friday afternoon.

A Colored Man's Paper.

O. L. C. Hughes, Esq., a colored man of fine education, and rare journalistic abilities, has established at Harrisburg, a paper called *The Progress of Freedom*, which he proposes to devote to the interests of his race by advocating full and universal liberty and equality. Mr. Hughes conducted a newspaper in Tennessee shortly after the close of the rebellion, and contributed largely towards securing the triumph of Republican principles in that distracted State. We sincerely hope he may meet with proper encouragement in his new enterprise, and that our own citizens, white and colored, will aid him by advertisements and subscriptions, for which he will call on them during the present week.

MECHANICAL MEDICAL APPLIANCES.

There are certain phases of disease, and certain diseased conditions of the human system, which proceed from displacement and mal-position of some of the various organs of the human body. These are not remediable by the usual and ordinary methods used for the cure of other ailments; but require some mechanical stay or support to maintain the parts in position until they are healed. Prominent among these may be classed a displacement called hernia, or rupture, which is a protrusion of part of the bowel, and which must be returned and kept to its place by some outward support which should be properly adjusted in order to secure immunity from inconvenience and danger. The prevalence of this condition is now very common and should be attended to, immediately on its appearance, not only because of the present inconvenience which its produces, but also in consequence of the usual danger of strangulation which is rarely remedied but by a surgical operation.

Varicose veins in the legs and varicocele are other forms of structural changes which need immediate and scientific outward support, in order to afford relief or effect a cure. Each of these conditions are now as much within the pale of successful treatment as any of the other diseases to which mankind are liable.

Stooped shoulders may be cured at once by the use of my Shoulder Braces, which not only maintain the body in an erect position, but at the same time enlarge its capacity, and allow free and full expansion to the lungs, always a necessary condition to a healthy and perfect use of the pulmonary organs.

There are hundreds of females who would find great benefit from wearing these shoulder braces as they are so constructed as to take all the dragging weight from the back or spine and suspend the clothing from the shoulders. Those who use my shoulder braces need not wear suspenders, as they answer the double purpose of shoulder brace and suspenders; in fact they are the best suspenders ever invented. Sold and applied at

DR. KEYSER'S NEW MEDICINE STORE, NO. 167 LIBERTY SREET, TWO DOORS FROM ST. CLAIR. CONSULTATION ROOMS, NO. 120 PENN STREET, FROM 10 A. M. UNTIL 4 P. M. AT THE STORE FROM 4 TO 6 P. M., AND 8 TO 9 AT NIGHT.

A HOUSEHOLD ELIXIR ADAPTED TO ALL CLIMATES.

It would be a happy thing for the world if all the excitants at present used in the practice of medicine could be swept out of existence, and HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS substituted in their place. There is a probability, too, that this desirable substitution may one day be accomplished. Certain it is, that the GREAT VEGETABLE TONIC is gradually displacing them, and that the confidence of the people in its sanitary and saving properties increases with every passing year. "Figures that cannot lie" show this to be the fact. No medicinal preparation enjoys the like popularity among all classes and conditions in every section of the country. As an appetizer, a general invigorant, a remedy for indigestion, a cure for intermittent and remittent fevers, a general cathartic, a specific for flatulency and sour stomach, a gentle diuretic, a nervine, a blood depurent, a specific for sick headache, a mild anodyne, and, above all, as a PROTECTION AGAINST EPIDEMICS, it is unquestionably the STANDARD MEDICINE of the whole United States. In the towns and cities it is literally a HOUSEHOLD STAPLE. Mothers believe in it. They find it a "present help in time of trouble"—a safe and pleasant remedy for the various ailments to which their sex is exclusively subject. Men believe in it, because it refreshes and invigorates the body and mind, and tones both without exciting either.

Secretary Boutwell and the Newspapers.

The Washington correspondent of the Worcester (Mass.) *Gazette*, in speaking of the Treasury Department, says:

"The Secretary is conscious enough of the fact that his every movement is closely watched. His policy of buying bonds and selling gold is sharply criticised and warmly defended. Mr. McCulloch, in the later days of his career, read only the newspapers by which he was sustained—those which opposed his course were cut off from the subscription list as well as from the advertising list. Governor Boutwell says he cares most for those which oppose his course—he wants to see all that is said against the policy which he has adopted. He is sincerely working for the public good, and holds himself amenable not less to the law than to the public judgment. For mere partisan bitterness, for bombastic and unreasoning censure, he cares nothing; he is thankful to every man who earnestly and vigorously points out objections to his purposes and methods.

GENERAL DODGE, Engineer of the Union Pacific Railroad, telegraphs from Omaha that all arrangements for through travel are complete, and both freight and passenger trains are running on time. The greater portion of the road, he says, is in as good order as any lying east of Omaha, but owing to the erection of some permanent bridges and stone culverts in place of temporary structures, and changes on small portions of the road bed, the company will not present the road as fully finished before the 1st of August.

GRAND

CLOSING OUT SALE

OF

PIANOS, ORGANS

AND

MUSICAL GOODS,

OF ALL KINDS.

The Subscriber being about to remove to New Warerooms, now being erected for him on Fifth Avenue, is prepared to close out his Stock of Goods to avoid moving them, at VERY GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Among the stock are the following

NEW PIANOS:

A $1,000 Grand Square Piano.
Made by Steck & Co., New York.
A $800 Carved Rosewood.
DECKER BROS. PIANO,
A $700 Decker Bros. Piano.
A $450 Emerson Piano.
A $400 Bradford Piano.
A $700 Barnes Piano.
A $550 Barnes Piano.
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SECOND-HAND PIANOS

A 7 oct. Chickering & Sons.
A 6¾ oct. Chickering & Sons.
A 7 oct. Chickering & Sons, Carved
A 7 oct. Hazelton Bros.
A 7 oct. Emerson.
A 6¾ oct. Dunham.
A 6 oct. Chickering.

ORGANS.

A 4-stop Peloubet & Co make.
A 4-stop New Haven & Co. make.
A 4-stop W. H. Gerrish make.
A 5-stop Walnut, Taylor & Farley make.
A 5-stop Walnut, Taylor & Farley make.
A 5-stop Walnut, Taylor & Farley make.
A 5-stop Rosewood, Taylor & Farley make.
A 5-stop Rosewood, Tarlor & Farley make.
A 4-stop Walnut, Taylor & Farley make.

MELODEONS.

A 6 oct. Rosewood, Taylor & Farley make.
A 6 oct. Rosewood, Taylor & Farley make.
A 5 oct. Rosewood, Taylor & Farley make.
A 5 oct. Walnut, Taylor & Farley make.

SECOND-HAND ORGANS.

A 5 oct. Mason & Hamlin Organ.
A 5 oct. Taylor & Farley Organ.
A 5 oct. Treat & Co. Organ.
A 4½ oct. Mason & Hamlin, 6 stops.
A 5 oct. Prescott Bros.
A 5 oct. Mason & Hamlin Melodeon.
A 4½ oct. Mason & Hamlin Melodeon.
A 5 oct. Mason & Hamlin Melodeon.
A 5 oct. Estey & Co. Melodeon.

This entire lot of instruments MUST BE CLOSED OUT BY JUNE 15th, and to accomplish this, GREAT SACRIFICES WILL BE OFFERED TO CUSTOMERS.

Also, a large Assortment of Violins, Banjos, Guitars, Flutes, Fifes, Accordeons, Music Books, Music Folios, &c., &c.

FOR SALE AT COST.

CHAS. C. MELLOR,

81 WOOD STREET.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 26, 1869.

NOTICE.—SEALED PROPOSALS for the construction of a BOARD-WALK on the road, from Lawrenceville Station on the Pennsylvania Railroad to Minersville.

ALSO,

one on Elm street, (Bloomfield,) from Main street to the Pennsylvania Railroad, will be received at this office until TUESDAY, June 1st, 1869.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

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AUCTION SALE OF THE REAL ESTATE OF THE FALLSTON WOODEN WARE WORKS, FALLSTON BOROUGH, BEAVER COUNTY. Friday morning, June 18, at 10 o'clock, by order of W. A. Lewis, Esq., assignee of Bailey and McCandless, bankrupts, will be sold at Commercial Sales Rooms, 106 Third street, the entire large real estate situate in Fallston borough, Beaver county, Pa., and known as the Falls on Wooden Ware Works, including the grounds, buildings, machinery, &c., necessary for manufacturing wooden ware, together with 20 shares of power of the Fallston Water Company. The machinery is of the latest improvement. For further particulars enquire of W. A. Lewis, Esq., 93 Diamond street.

A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

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AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Construction of a Culvert on Perry Street.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Sewerage Commission be and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the construction of a culvert on Perry street, and award contract to the lowest and best bidder.

Ordained and enacted into a law, this the 20th day of May, A. D. 1869.

JAMES McBRIER, President of the Select Council.

ATTEST: J. R. OXLEY, Clerk of Select Council.

ALFRED SLACK, President of Common Council.

Attest: ROBERT DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council.

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STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, SS.—In the Orphans' Court in and for said County,

In the Matter of the Estate of

JEREMIAH LINTON, Deceased.

In Partition, No. 1, September Term, 1868. And now, May 23d, 1869 the inquisition and appraisement in the above case having been returned by the Sheriff, on the 8th day of May, 1869, and confirmed nisi, and no exceptions having been filed thereto, the Court, on motion of Hill & Hall, Attorneys for Petitioner, grant a rule on Susan Linton, intermarried with John Geffer; Hetty Linton, intermarried with Simon Hall; John Bothwell, husband of Louisa Bothwell, deceased, formerly Louisa Linton; Mary Bothwell, intermarried with Sidney Perry, Jonathan Linton, Wm. Linton, Cornelius Kingsland, husband of Mary Kingsland, deceased, formerly Mary Linton, Sarah Kingsland, widow of Joseph Kingsland, deceased, George Kingsland and J. Ryder Kingsland, children of Joseph Kingsland, deceased, by their Guardian *ad litem*, William Linton, John Fulmer, husband of Sarah Fulmer, deceased, formerly Sarah Kingsland, Ida Fulmer, Mary Fulmer and John Fulmer, children of Sarah Fulmer, deceased, by their Guardian *ad litem*, Wm. Linton, Margaret Kingsland, intermarried with George Kingsland, Susanna Kingsland, intermarried with John F. Sclair, Mary S. Kingsland, intermarried with George Cubbage and John Kingsland, heirs and legal representatives of Jeremiah Linton, deceased, and all other persons interested, to be and appear before the Judges of said Court, at a Court to be held at the City of Pittsburgh, in said County of Allegheny, on the

5TH DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1869,

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,

then and there to accept or refuse the Real Estate of said deceased, at the appraised valuation put upon it by the inquest or show cause why the same should not be sold.

And the Court direct that notice of this rule shall be given to the parties residing in the County of Allegheny or their Attorneys or Guardians personally; and to the parties residing out of the County of Allegheny by publication weekly for three weeks in the Pittsburgh GAZETTE.

BY THE COURT.

From the Record: Attest: A. HILANDS, Clerk.

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CARPETS & OIL CLOTHS.

SPRING STOCK

AT

OLIVER M'CLINTOCK & COMPANY'S.

We are receiving this week by ocean steamers from England a fresh stock of the latest and most beautiful designs in English Tapestry and Body Brussels by direct importations from the manufacturers. We invite the inspection of house furnishers, confident that we offer the largest assortment and greatest variety of elegant patterns ever brought to this market, at the lowest prices.

Great inducements are offered in all grades of Ingrains and Three Plies, it being their constant aim to offer to the multitude, the fullest assortment of cheap and serviceable Carpets at lower rates than any other house in the trade.

No. 23 FIFTH AVENUE.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

READY THIS DAY.

D. APPLETON & CO.,

Nos. 90, 92, and 94, Grand Street.

I.

PRIMARY TRUTHS OF RELIGION. By Thomas M. Clark, D.D., LL.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Rhode Island. 1 volume, 12mo., 313 pp. Cloth. Price, $1.25.

II.

THE SURGEON'S DAUGHTER. By Sir Walter Scott. Being the twenty-fifth and concluding volume of a new cheap uniform edition of the Waverly Novels. Each volume illustrated and bound in an ornamented paper cover. Price, 25 cents per volume.

This edition of the Waverly Novels is uniform with our new cheap edition of the works of Charles Dickens. Price, for the entire set, mailed post free, $6. Each set accompanied with a Portrait, on steel, of Sir Walter Scott. On the receipt of $10, a complete set of Dickens' Works with a portrait, and a set of the Waverley Novels, will be sent, carriage free.

III.

VOL. 6 OF THE LIBRARY EDITION OF THE WAVERLEY NOVELS. This is the concluding issue of the Waverly novels, the set being comprised in six volumes, issued in uniform style with the "Library Edition of Dickens." Each volume illustrated with numerous fine Steel and Wood Engravings. Bound in morocco cloth, gilt side and back. Price, $1.75 per annum, or $10.50 per set.

Either of the above sent free by mail to any address on receipt of the price. my25:j78

AN ORDINANCE

To Authorize the Grading and Paving of Jefferson Street from Beaver Street to Shields Alley.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Committee on Streets be and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the grading and paving of Jefferson street, as aforesaid, and to contract therefor with the lowest and best bidder or bidders, at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost and expenses of said improvements, there be, and is hereby levied, a special tax, to be equally assessed upon the several lots bounding and abutting upon the said Jefferson street, respectively in proportion to the feet front in them respectively comprised, and bounding and abutting as aforesaid.

SEC. 3. That as soon as the cost and expenses of said improvements shall be duly ascertained, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to assess and apportion the same among the several lots bounding and abutting upon said Jefferson street respectively, according to the rule above indicated, and thereupon proceed to make demand and collect the same, according to the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act defining the manner of collecting the expenses of grading and paving of the streets and alleys of the City of Allegheny, and for other purposes," passed the thirtieth day of March, 1852.

SEC. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with, or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law, this the twentieth day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

JAMES McBRIER, President of the Select Council.

Attest: J. R. OXLEY, Clerk of the Select Council.

ALFRED SLACK, President of the Common Council.

Attest: ROBERT DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. my26

AN ORDINANCE

To Authorize the Grading and Paving of Fayette Street from Fulton Street to Beaver Avenue.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Committee on Streets be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the grading and paving of Fayette street as aforesaid, and to contract therefor with the lowest and best bidder or bidders, at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense of said improvements, there be, and is hereby levied, a special tax, to be equally assessed upon the several lots bounding and abutting upon the said Fayette street respectively in proportion to the feet front in them respectively comprised, and bounding and abutting as aforesaid.

SEC. 3. That as soon as the cost and expenses of said improvements shall be fully ascertained, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to assess and apportion the same among the several lots bounding and abutting upon said Fayette street respectively, according to the rule above indicated, and thereupon proceed to make demand and collect the same, according to the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act defining the manner of collecting the expenses of grading and paving of the streets and alleys of the City of Allegheny, and for other purposes," passed the thirtieth day of March, 1852.

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ALFRED SLACK, President of the Common Council.

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AN ORDINANCE

For the Construction of a Lateral Sewer on North Avenue.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Sewerage Commission be and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the construction of a sewer on North Avenue, in accordance with plans adopted, from White Oak alley to Sandusky street, to the lowest and best bidder.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost of construction, the property abutting on the line of the Sewer shall be assessed as provided for in the act of Assembly relating to sewers in Allegheny City.

SEC. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 20th day of May, A. D. 1869.

JAMES McBRIER, President of Select Council.

Attest: JOSEPH R. OXLEY, Clerk of Select Council.

ALFRED SLACK, President of Common Council.

Attest: ROBERT DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. my26

AN ORDINANCE

Changing Name of Webster Street, Between North Common and Stockton Avenue.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That the name of Webster street be changed to Sherman avenue, between the following points: Stockton avenue and North Common.

SEC. 2. That all parts of ordinances conflicting therewith, or be supplied by the above are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 20th day of May, A. D. 1869.

JAMES McBRIER, President of Select Council.

Attest: J. R. OXLEY, Clerk of Select Council.

ALFRED SLACK, President of Common Council.

Attest: ROBERT DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. my26

AN ORDINANCE

For the Construction of a Lateral Sewer on White Oak Alley.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Sewerage Commission be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive Proposals for the construction of a sewer on White Oak alley, from Spring alley to North avenue, in accordance with plans adopted, and award the contract for the same to the lowest and best bidder.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost of construction, the property abutting on the line of sewer shall be assessed as provided for in the Act of Assembly relating to sewers in Allegheny City.

Ordained and enacted into a law, this the 2d day of May, A. D. 1869.

JAMES McBRIER, President of Select Council.

Attest: J. R. OXLEY, Clerk of Select Council.

ALFRED SLACK, President of Common Council.

Attest: R. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. my26

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CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, ALLEGHENY CITY, PA., May 17, 1869.

NOTICE.—The Assessments for Grading and Paving of

WARD ALLEY,

From Allegheny avenue to Sedgwick street, are now ready for examination, and can be seen at the office of the City Engineer until MAY 25th, 1869, when they will be placed in the hands of the City Treasurer for collection.

CHARLES DAVIS, City Engineer.

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my25:j80 M. WHITMORE.

INSTALLMENT NOTICE.—The Stockholders of the Mercantile Library Hall Company are hereby notified that the fifth installment, THREE DOLLARS per share, has been this day called, payable on or before May 15th, 1869, at the office of N. Holmes & Sons, 57 Market street.

By order of the Board.

JAMES H. WRIGHT, Treasurer.

Pittsburgh, May 4, 1869. my8:j99

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ALLEGHENY CITY.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER, ALLEGHENY CITY, PA., May 15th, 1869.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN

TO ALL PROPERTY HOLDERS

IN THE

CITY OF ALLEGHENY,

That on and after the 20th DAY OF MAY, 1869, the act of Assembly providing for the registry of lots in the City of Allegheny, of which the 3d and 4th sections are hereunto appended, will be enforced:

SECTION 3. To enable the Engineer to keep up the books of said plans, it shall be the duty of all parties acquiring real estate by purchase, will, descent, partition or otherwise, to make report to him of such conveyance or transfer, with the precise dimensions and locality of the premises and so doing the same shall be received without charge and noted on the deed or title paper by the City Engineer or his assistant, but if the said parties acquiring real estate as aforesaid shall omit or neglect said duty, they shall be subject to such fine or fines as hereinafter set forth and provided for in Section 4th of this Act; and the Recorder of Deeds of said county of Allegheny shall not admit the deed of conveyance to record in his office, and any Recorder of Deeds who shall admit to record any deed of conveyance of a lot or part of lot within the City of Allegheny, which has not been registered, shall for each offence be subject to a fine of five dollars, to be recovered by summary conviction or by penal action in the name of the City of Allegheny, before the Mayor or any Alderman of said city, and shall be liable to indictment for misdemeanor in office.

SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of all owners of houses and lots to furnish forthwith descriptions of their property to the Engineer to aid him in making up his Books of Plans; and whensoever such descriptions shall have been so furnished and the certificate of the Engineer or his assistant, shall be received, no property so returned shall be subject to sale for taxes or other municipal claims, hereafter to accrue as a lien of record thereon except in the name of the owner as returned and after recovery by suit and service of the writ on him made as in case of a summons.

And on and after that date all deeds or title papers pertaining to property within said limits must be presented at this office for registry as by law required.

CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

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FEDERAL OIL COMPANY.— In pursuance of an order from the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, the Directors of the FEDERAL OIL COMPANY have this day declared a dividend of TEN CENTS per share, payable forthwith to the legal holders of stock in said company, on return to the Secretary of certificates or other evidence of ownership.

All parties are hereby notified that dividends, unclaimed for a period of six months, will be disposed of according to law.

By order of the Board.

A. B. MILLS, Secretary.

Office, Duquesne Way, 3 doors below Ninth St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Pittsburgh, April 28, 1869. ap29:127

BUTTER.—10 Boxes Fresh Dairy Roll Butter, just received by express.

J. B. CANFIELD, 141 First avenue.

NOTICES.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL MISSIONARY MEETING.

A public Missionary meeting under the auspices of the American Church Missionary Society will be held D. V. in St. Andrews Church, (the Methodist College Chapel, Hancock street,) Thursday evening, May 27th, at 8 o'clock. Addresses by Rev. Jno. Cotton Smith, D. D., Rector of Ascension Church, New York, the Secretary, and others.

All interested in the work of domestic missions, and especially a full desirous of a just understanding of the principles and aims of the American Church Missionary Society, are cordially invited to attend. my25:j81

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Chartiers Valley Railway Letting.

PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the undersigned at Steubenville, Ohio, until SATURDAY, MAY 29th, 1869, for the grading, bridging and ballasting of 14 miles of the Chartiers Valley Railway, between Mansfield and Canonsburgh. Map, profile and statement of quantities can be seen, and detailed information will be given at the Engineer's Office, in Steubenville, after Saturday, 15th inst.

M. J. BECKER, Engineer.

STEUBENVILLE, May 10, 1869. my12

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY, TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT, PHILADELPHIA, May 3d, 1869.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the capital stock of the Company, clear of National and State taxes, payable in cash on and after May 30, 1869.

Blank powers of attorney for collecting dividends can be had at the office of the Company, No. 238 S. Third street.

The office will be opened at 8 A. M. and closed at 4 P. M. from May 30 to June 5, for the payment of dividends, and after that date from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

THOMAS T. FIRTH, Treasurer.

NOTE.—The Third Instalment on New Stock of 1868 is due and payable on or before June 15.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD CO.

TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT, PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 2, 1869.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

All Stockholders, as registered on the Books of this Company on the 30th day of April, 1869, will be entitled to subscribe for TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. of their respective interests in New Stock, at par, as follows:

First. Fifty per cent. at the time of subscription, between the 15th day of May, 1869, and the 30th day of June, 1869.

Second. Fifty per cent. between the 15th day of November, 1869, and the 31st day of December, 1869; or, if Stockholders should prefer, the whole amount may be paid up at the time of subscription, and each instalment so paid up shall be entitled to a pro rata of the Dividend that may be declared on full shares.

Third. That every Stockholder holding less than four shares, shall be entitled to subscribe for one share; and those holding more than a multiple of four shares shall be entitled to subscribe for an additional share.

Fourth. All shares upon which instalments are yet to be paid under Resolution of May 13, 1868, will be entitled to their allotment of the Twenty-five per cent. at par, as though they were paid in full.

my8:j98 THOMAS T. FIRTH, Treasurer.

DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND.

OFFICE MONONGAHELA INSURANCE CO., PITTSBURGH, May 24, 1869.

The President and Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend of two dollars ($2) per share on the capital stock of the Company, out of the earnings of the last six months, payable, free of Government tax, on and after June 1, 1869.

JOHN H. CLANEY, Secretary.

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BANK OF PITTSBURGH, May 4th, 1869.

THE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS of this Bank have THIS DAY delared a dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on its Capital Stock out of the profits of the last six months, which will be paid to Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 14th inst., free of Government, State and local taxes.

my5:i69-w W. ROSEBURG, Cashier.

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my24:j74-MWF Pittsburgh, Pa.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 21, 1869.

NOTICE.—The Assessment for grading and paving Smallman alley, from Hazel to Clark streets, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, June 1st, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, CITY ENGINEER.

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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 21, 1869.

NOTICE.—The Assessment for the Boardwalk on Fifth avenue, from Brady street to Murphy street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, June 1st, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 25, 1869.

NOTICE.—The Assessment for Grading, Paving and Curbing CENTRE STREET, from Forty fourth to Forty-fifth streets, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until FRIDAY, June 4, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

my25:j82 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

SUBURBAN DWELLING HOUSE FOR RENT.—A good Two Story Brick Dwelling House of hall, five rooms and cellar, two porches, two cemented cisterns and a well of water, fruit and shade trees, shrubbery, a frame stable, &c., in a healthy and agreeable location on Mt. Washington; a fine view of the cities, rivers and surrounding country. Immediate possession. Apply to

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The Pittsburgh Gazette.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, May 25, 1869.

The gold market was weak and fluctuated between 140⅞ and 141⅜. There are few sellers in the market at these rates, nor are buyers disposed to buy heavily. The Government sales of two millions per week, instead of one, has put a surface on the market.

Government bonds are dull and lower, but steady at quotations.

Stocks are higher, strong and, at present, manipulated upward.

Money quite easy.

Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 141⅜; Silver, 133; Eighty-one's, 121¼; Five Twenties, 1862, 122; do 1864, 116⅝; do 1865, 118¼; do 1865, Consols, 119¾; do 1867, ——; do 1868, ——; Ten Forties, 109¾; New York Central, 93¾; Erie, —; Reading, 101¼; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 97⅝; Ohio & Misisippi, 56; Michigan Southern, 109⅜; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 99⅝; Chicago & Rock Island, 27⅜; Chicago & North Western, 92⅞; Chicago & North Western Preferred, 106; Adams Express Company, 60; Merchants Union Express, 14½; Pacific Mail, 83⅞; Western Union Telegraph Company, 43¾; Gregory, ——; Quartz Hill, ——; Smith & Parmlee, ——; Am. Express, 39½.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co. Gold, 140⅞; United Sates Sixes, 1881, 121¼; Five-Twenties, 1862, 122¼; do. 1864, 116¼; do. 1865, 118¾; Ten-Forties, 109; Five-Twenties, January and July, 1865, 119¾; do. do. 1867, ——; do. do. 1868, ——; Seven-Thirties, par less, ⅛; Due Compounds, 119; Union Pacific Railroad, par; Central do. do., 103; Cy. Pacifics, 106⅜.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 25, 1869.

Money easy at 6@7 per cent. Sterling dull at 9⅛@9¼. Gold heavy under the renewed but unconfirmed reports that Secretary Boutwell intends to cancel 3 per cents with a portion of the proceeds of gold sales. Gold opened at 140⅞, advanced to 141⅜, fell to 140¼ and closed at 140⅜@140⅞. Carrying rates 8@6 per cent. and 1-32 to flat. Clearances $92,000,000.

Governments have declined ⅜@1⅛ per cent. but closed steady; Coupons '81, 121¼@121⅜; do. '62, 122¼@122⅝; do. '64, 116⅜@116½; do. '65, 118¼@118⅝; do. new, 119⅛@119½; do. '67, 119⅜@119½; do. '68, 119⅜@119½; 10-40's, 109@109⅝; Pacifics 106½@106⅝.

State Bonds dull; Missouris 88⅞; Old Tennessees 68¼; New do. 66¼@66½; New North Carolinas 55⅛@55⅜; Virginias 61⅛@62.

Stocks were strong during the forenoon, but declined in the afternoon on the 3 per cent. story, though near the close the feeling was firmer again. Vanderbilt stocks are neglected and Western shares were the prominent features, the greatest advance being in Michigan Southern, Lake Shore, Wabash, Northwestern, Pittsburgh and St. Paul. The market finally closed steady though hardly up to the highest point of the day.

5-30 *Prices* — Cumberland, 31½@33; Wells Express, 32½@33¼; American, 39½@39⅞; Adams, 60¼@60¾; United States, 66⅜@67; Merchants Union, 14½@15; Quicksilver, 19⅞@20; Canton, 64⅝@65; Pacific Mail, 83½@83⅝; Western Union Telegraph, 43⅝@43¾; Hartford and Erie, 22¾; Mariposa, 24¾@24⅞; do. preferred, 51¾@51½; New York Central, 193½@193¾; Erie, 29⅜@29½; do. preferred, 51⅜@51½; Hudson, 161@161½; Harlem, 150¼@150¾; do preferred, 151; Reading, 100@100¾; Terre Haute, 39¼@40; do. preferred, 70@73; Wabash, 77¾@78; do. preferred, 83@85; St. Paul, 77⅝@77¾; do. preferred, 87½@87¾; Ohio & Mississippi, 35⅝@35⅞; Michigan Central, 129@130; Michigan Southern, 109⅜@109⅝; Fort Wayne, 145¼@147½; Pittsburgh, 98¼@98½; Lake Shore, 109¼; Rock Island, 127⅜@128; Northwestern, 91⅝@91¾; do. preferred, 105⅜@105⅝; St. Joseph, 118; do. preferred, 116¾; C. C. & I. C., 44½.

Mining shares here and at Boston dull and unchanged.

The receipts at the Sub-Treasury today were $2,842,664; payments, $1,649,503; balance, $85,897,063; disbursements of coin interest, $107,613.

MEMPHIS, May 25.—Cotton is dull and low at 26¼c for middlings; receipts 32; exports 823 bales. Flour dull at $5@5,25. Corn at 75c. Oats at 80c. Hay at $26,50 27. Pork at $32. Lard at 18@19½c. Bacon firm at 13½c for shoulders; 17½c for sides. Bulk Meats dull at 12½c for shoulders, and 16½c for sides.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, May 25, 1869.

The weather yesterday and to-day, begins to admonish us that summer is near at hand, and usually business is very dull during the summer months. Country merchants and farmers generally have already laid in their summer supplies, and for two or three months it is not likely that their visits to the city will be very frequent, as they will be busily engaged in looking after the crops. This being the case, the demand for almost everything will be confined mainly to supplying the wants of people within the corporate limits, and it is probable, therefore, that business generally will be dull until after harvest; this is usually the case during the time indicated, and there is no reason why this summer should be an exception.

APPLES—Almost out of season, and prices are nominal at $5@7 per bbl.

APPLE BUTTER—Sales at 1@$1,10.

BUTTER—Very dull with a supply, which although by no means large, nevertheless in excess of the demand; we now quote prime to choice Roll at 25@28.

BEANS—Dull at $2@2,50.

CARBON OIL—Is quoted in a jobbing way at 29@30.

CORNMEAL—$1,50@1.75 per cwt.

CHEESE—Sales of new Western Reserve at 18@20, and New York Goshen at 22@23.

DRIED FRUIT—In fair demand and limited supply; sales of Peaches at 14 for quarters and 18 for halves, and Apples at 13@15, as to quality.

EGGS—In fair demand, and we can report regular sales at 17@18.

FEATHERS—Quoted at 80 cts, to the trade, and the usual advance for small lots in store.

FLOUR—The market is quiet; the demand seems to be falling off, and it is said that the majority of the towns and villages that heretofore have been buying here, are now being supplied by country mills. We continue to quote Spring Wheat brands at $6,50@7,25, and Winter Wheat at $7,25@7,75. Rye Flour, $6,75.

GRAIN—There is a fair demand for Winter Wheat with sales of good to prime Red at $1,45 to $1,48@1,50. Oats quiet and unchanged; sales to arrive at 67@68, buyers furnishing sacks; 70 in elevator and on track, and 75 for small lots in store. Ear Corn is still quoted at 78@80 on wharf, and 85 in store; sale 500 Shelled, (prime Yellow) at 80, delivered on Monongahela wharf. Rye is very dull and small lots can not be quoted above $1,25@1,30. Barley, $1,75 for prime Spring.

HAY — Baled continues dull, with another car load of prime Timothy reported at $26—loose pressed.

HUSKS—Sales corn husks at 3½.

HEMP—Sales at $215.

HOMINY—$5,75@6 per bbl.

LARD OIL—Is quoted at $1,20 for No. 2, and $1,50@1,52 for No. 1.

LIME—Cleveland Lime is quoted at $2 50, per bbl, and Common White at $1,75.

MAPLE SYRUP—Sales in gallon jugs at $1,50.

POTATOES—Dull: sale of one car load in bulk, at 45; small sales in store at 50@55. The market seems to be fully supplied, notwithstanding the receipts continue light.

PEANUTS—Held at 12c.

PROVISIONS — Steady with regular jobbing sales at 13¾ for Shoulders; 16¼ for Ribbed, and 17¾ for Clear Sides; Plain Hams, 17¾; Canvassed Sugar Cured Hams 19¾@20. Lard, 19 in tierces and 19½@20 in half bbls kegs, and pails. Plain dry Beef 20½; Canvassed do. 21@21½. Mess Pork $32@32½.

SEEDS—The season is about over and there is not enough selling to establish quotations.

SALT—May be quoted at $1,83@1,85 by the car load, and $1,95@2 for small lots in store.

TALLOW—Is quoted at 10¼@10⅝, for rendered, and dull.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, May 25, 1869.

The sales of Crude were unusually large, while the operations in refined were unusually small; in other respects, the market presents nothing that is really new or important. The fact that there is now a margin for the manufactuer, notwitanding it is small, is a very encouraging and healthy at this particular time, and we continue to hear of refineries, that have been standing idle for months, taking the necessary measures for a resumption of business. The shipments are on the increase, and, judging from present indications, the great proportion of our refining establishments will be in full blast before the close of the month. The margin is not yet what our refiners desire, but, as already intimated, they are starting up in the belief that there will be an improvement in this respect as the season advances, and it is to be hoped that there expectations will be fully realized.

CRUDE.

The operations in Crude were unusually large, aggregating twenty thousand barrels, but notwithstanding the market is weak, prices, compared with yesterday, have undergone but little change. The sales reported were as follows: 3,000 and 5,000 bbls, seller all year, at 13; 1,000 June, buyer, at 13½; 2,000 June, 10 to 20th, at 13½; 4,000 seller next 25 days, at 13½; 2,000 first water, at 13½; 2,000 next 60 days, at 13⅜; 1,000 on cars at Venango City, 10 days, at $5; and 1,000 seller 60 days, same place, at $5,10. Five dollars at Venango City is only thirteen cents here, net.

REFINED.

There was but a single sale reported; 1,000 bbls buyer all year, at 35. May offered at 31; June, last half, at 31½, July, sellers option, at 31½; and July to December, 33. Market dull and weak.

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Lockhart, Frew & Co. 98 bbls tar to Libby & Clark, N. Y.

Lockhart, Frew & Co. 122 bbls tar to N. Y. & B. Parafine Oil Co., N. Y.

Braun & Wagner 50 bbls tar to N Y & B Parafine Co., N. Y.

Total shipments Refined	1438
Total Shipments Tar	271

OIL SHIPPED EAST FROM DUQUESNE DEPOT.

Mentzer, Hepler & Co. 319 bbls ref. to W. P. Logan & Bro., Philadelphia.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Business is very quiet. There is no change to notice in prices, but printing cloths are said to be firmer at the eastward.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

PRAIRIE GRASSES AND FIRES.

[Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

The great prairies of the west are clothed heavily with grass. Some varieties are as coarse as rye, and grow about as tall; but the greater part, especially on the uplands, is about the heighth and stoutness of timothy, but has longer and coarser blades. This variety, where it predominates, makes excellent hay, equal it is contended, to timothy in nutrition, and animals are equally fond of it. Many thousands of acres of this are mowed, and it yields from one to two tons to the acre—sometimes more. Cattle feed freely upon these broad prairies; but so elastic is the grass that the mower operates as well upon these pastures as it would were the cattle excluded. But of course the yield is diminished.

In some places the number of cattle is too great for the grasses, and where that is the case they rapidly decline, and the ground becomes foul with weeds, and the grass unfit for hay. Indeed these prairie grasses are not hardy, and soon die out if severely eaten off and trampled. Where cattle are excluded and the grass is annually mowed, it becomes cleaner and better. Hence the farmers of the prairie States are beginning to fence up their prairie ground as they would meadow land.

Still in Kansas the grass on millions of acres of prairie grows up, dries, and remains upon the ground over winter, somewhat broken down by the snows, but by no means laid flat. Animals eat it in this condition if they can get nothing else, but there is very little nutriment in it; and the owners of the land, whether they wish to plow it, mow it, or pasture it, set fire to this old grass in the spring and burn it off. Great care must be taken, however, in this operation, as it burns furiously, and sometimes gets beyond control, and sets fire to fences, stacks and even buildings. It is unlawful to set fire to prairie grass without the concurrence of the adjoiners, and I think the presence of six men. This work is generally done in the evenings, and the calmer the weather is the better. But in Kansas, in the spring season, there are few evenings quite calm; and sometimes after the fire has been started a stiff breeze springs up, and then the scene becomes grand, sometimes fearful and dangerous. While I was out there during part of March and all of April I saw no little of this work, and took part in some of it. I have seen a line of flame half a mile long, sweeping so fast before the wind that thirty feet of this dry grass would be aflame at the same moment. In such cases it is in vain to attempt to arrest its progress until its reaches a road or a water course.

Nothing can be imagined more beautiful than these long lines of brilliant flame approaching each other from the boundaries of the track to be burnt over, sometimes several hundreds of acres. I was while there on an elevated spot, and some nights from ten to twenty separate fires were in view at once, lighting up the entire horizon—some so near that we could see the lines of fire sweeping in all directions, others so far off that they looked like brilliant spots on the dark landscape.

In the unsettled parts of that country these fires run sometimes for miles, until they are stopped by water courses. Whether their effects be to enrich or to impoverish the land is a mooted point; but certain it is that the "range" is better for cattle on lands over which the fire has swept in the spring. In April the old grass lies or stands brown and sere; but soon after it is swept off by fire the black and bare surface of the ground begins to turn green, and in a few days is as verdant as a well mown meadow is with us in the spring, and cattle abandon the ground on which the old grass is still standing or lying and gather upon the burnt districts.

There are several varieties of grass on these prairies, some very coarse, as already mentioned, while some are quite fine and delicate. East of Fort Harker, which is about 220 miles west of the Missouri, the buffalo grass has almost entirely disappeared. It and the animals from which it gets its name appear to recede together. But there are some grasses equally delicate in structure, and much more tender, which maintain themselves among the taller and coarser varieties. One of these, very much resembling blue grass in form and color, sends forth in April, from the middle of its stalk, a pretty delicate little flower, sometimes pure white, sometimes a light purple. I never found more than one on the same stalk. The stem of the flower, short and very slender, springs at right angles from the stem of the grass. They are very curious, and well worthy of introduction into the flower garden. I gathered them on ground over which fire had swept two or three weeks before.

Intermingled with these grasses are flowers in great variety and profusion, some of which are very pretty. Passing over the high prairies or plains near Fort Harker, early in June, I saw, for miles together, a display of flowers so rich, so profuse, so vast, that it had a bewildering and oppressive effect upon the brain. It was beauty rising to sublimity—a sight that can never be forgotten. J. C.

Decoration Day in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 24.—The Evangelical clergymen of this city had another meeting this morning to protest against the ceremony of decorating the soldiers' graves on the Sabbath day. There was quite a large attendance, but representing only three denominations, Presbyterians, Baptists and Methodists. The tone of the speakers was decidedly less radical than on the occasion of the previous meeting, and several well known clergymen acknowledged that they had changed their views, and felt that little or no harm could result from the proposed ceremony on the Sabbath day. Finally a Committee appointed for the purpose offered a series of resolutions, which were much modified in tone from those passed at the last meeting. They resolve that while they do not regard the mere act of decorating the soldiers' graves upon the Sabbath as a desecration of the day, yet they believe that with the concomitants necessarily accompanying such ceremony, in the breaking up of religious services, the gathering together of a multitude largely composed of those who feel no interest in honoring the Sabbath, the almost certain tendency to intemperance, and the general removal of restraint, such a ceremony will inevitably be disastrous alike to religious and civil influence. In another resolution they respectfully petition the Grand Commander to change the day to Saturday, in accordance with the change made at Washington, Boston and Cincinnati.

A TRIP TO NORTH CAROLINA.

[Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAMPTON, VA. May 21, 1869.

DEAR GAZETTE: I had not expected during my present jaunt to do any "editorial correspondence," but finding myself at this ancient Virginia town of some historic interest—the home of one of our Presidential accidents—and kept indoors by a driving nor'easter with rain, I propose to make some "jottings down" for the benefit of other travelers South and of your readers generally.

I left your sanctum, as you are aware, on Monday evening, had a quick passage via Pennsylvania and Northern Central roads to Baltimore, where I was obliged to wait seven hours for the Bay boat, which leaving Baltimore at 4 P. M. on Tuesday, brought me by 6 A. M. on Wednesday to Portsmouth, thence I proceeded by rail, via Weldon and Gaston, 177 miles to Raleigh, N. C., occupying eleven hours in making this distance, quite below the speed on our Pennsylvania roads of heavier grades and curvature.

I found Raleigh, the ancient capital of the good old North State, a quaint, old fashioned inland city of some ten thousand inhabitants, with wide unpaved streets, with huge and umbrageous monarchs of the forest casting their grateful shadows over the streets. The Capitol is a stately edifice of native granite, occupying the centre of a square which is handsomely enclosed and planted.

The Legislature adjourned some weeks ago; so that I was denied the privilege of witnessing the proceedings of a reconstructed State in her deliberative assembly, but I had the pleasure of seeing the Diocesan Episcopal Convention in annual session, the venerable and good Bishop Atkinson presiding. It was a noble looking body of men, clerical and lay; not so numerous as I had supposed, but made up of earnest, devoted and pious men.

I also visited St. Agustine Normal School, for blacks, an institution in the first year of its existence. It is incorporated by the Legislature, and is under the management of a Board of Trustees, who meet in council, and who consist of a number of the most respectable men in the State. Bishop Atkinson is President, Kemp P. Battles, Esq., Secretary and Treasurer, and Rev. J. Brinton Smith, D. D., is Principal of the School, in which already about forty students are being trained for teachers. They are male and female, gathered from the more advanced scholars in the common schools of North Carolina.

The North Carolinians are greatly alarmed for the safety of their cotton crop—the planting has been in excess of former years, but the prevalence of cold and wet weather since planting has made a good deal of re-planting necessary, and rendered the prospect of a good "stand" very doubtful. A failure of this important crop, on which their hopes have been fixed, would prove very disastrous to the State. I sincerely hope the case may not be so bad as they fear.

Homeward bound from Raleiga I reached Old Point Comfort last evening, and laid over to visit the "*Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute*," situated just outside the village of Hampton, in Elizabeth City county, Virginia, on the "Whipple Farm," which lies upon Hampton Roads. The *School* and *Home* buildings, valued at $25,000, occupy a beautiful site upon the shore. They are so arranged and furnished as to offer to the students the helps to a right living which pertain to a cultivated Christian home. The Institution is under the auspices of the "American Missionary Association," which is greatly in advance of all other public and private associations in the extent and thoroughness of its labors and expenditures in the noble work of diffusing a common school education among the freedmen.

The Institute was opened in April, 1868, and was incorporated in the following September, "for the purpose of preparing the Youth of the South, without distinction of color, for the work of organizing and teaching Schools in the Southern States." The very great necessity for an institution of this kind, induced the Association to provide a farm of one hundred and twenty acres, and besides the extensive buildings for school house and farming purposes before mentioned, supply it with all the appliances of profitable labor, and now I find it, in scarcely more than one year from its origin, exemplifying to a wonderful degree both the great need of such an institution and the wisdom and forecast of its founders in the plans adopted and carried forward. The Association was especially fortunate in selecting for the general superintendence and oversight of the whole establishment, Gen. S. C. Armstrong, a gentleman yet young, but of large administrative experience, of fine culture, untiring energy, and with his whole heart in the work.

There are sixty-six students now enjoying the benefits of the training both in school and upon the farm. In the household and school five ladies are employed. The Matron is an unmarried daughter of an eminent clergyman of Massachusetts. She is a lady of more than ordinary intellectual vigor and refinement, admirably fitted for the responsible duties confided to her. The other four ladies are accomplished and experienced teachers. The Matron and teachers exert a most salutary influence over the students, and are regarded by them with great deference and respect. Indeed, the utmost harmony between the Principal, teachers and students is constantly apparent, and illustrates the perfect discipline and order which prevade the daily operations of the Institute.

The Farm which is embraced in the plan, is under the management of Mr. Francis Richardson, who has himself been educated in the mysteries of scientific farming, and knows the value of adaptation of crops and soil, and of rotation of crops, he has made the farm to be regarded in this county as the model farm. Mr. Richardson is making daily shipments to the east, of strawberries and peas, and will by and by have shiploads of potatoes, cabbages and other products of his farmer craft.

On the whole, I have been much pleased with all that I see of the Hampton Normal School, and as ten or twenty thousand dollars more capital would enable the Superintendent to carry out some favorite plans for enlarging its usefulness and securing its perpetuity. I sincerely hope some of the philanthropists of the country will visit and examine its workings and thereby be induced, as I think they surely would, to further endow it. No similar enterprise that I know of promises a richer or more certain harvest of blessings and benefits. K.

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ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing the Grades of Various Streets.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grades of the following named streets be, and the same are hereby adopted and established, in accordance with plans accompanying this ordinance and in the City Engineer's office:

THE GREENSBURG PIKE from Butler street to the Pennsylvania Railroad crossing at East Liberty.
LIBERTY AVENUE from Thirty-second street to Centre avenue.
FORTY-SECOND STREET from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to the Greensburg Pike.
MAY STREET from Butler street to the Greensburg Pike.
BATES ALLEY from North street to Butler street.
LONG ALLEY from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to Butler street.
FORTY-FIFTH STREET from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to Butler street.
LOCUST ALLEY from Fortieth to Forty-third street.
NORTH STREET from Fortieth to Forty-fourth street.
HEMLOCK ALLEY from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street.
CENTRE STREET from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street.
WILLOW STREET from Fortieth street to Forty-fifth street.
HATFIELD STREET from Fortieth to Forty-fifth street.
PROSPECT STREET from Butler street to Union Alley.
RACE STREET from Butler street to the Greensburg Pike.
ALMOND ALLEY from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to the Greensburg Pike.
FORTIETH STREET from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to the Greensburg Pike.
One for THIRTY SIXTH STREET from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to Butler street.
One for THIRTY NINTH STREET from the Allegheny Valley Railroad to the Greensburg Pike, that portion between Butler street and the Turnpike to be a uniform grade.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my25

AN ORDINANCE

For Constructing a Board Walk from Minersville to Lawrenceville Station on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a Board Walk along the township road leading from Minersville to the Lawrenceville Station on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and to let the same in accordance with Acts of Assembly and ordinances of Councils relating thereto.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

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Clerk of Common Council. my25

AN ORDINANCE

For the Construction of a Boardwalk on Elm street, (Bloomfield,) from Liberty avenue to the Penna. R. R.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized to advertise for proposals for a boardwalk on Elm street, (Bloomfield,) from Liberty avenue to the Penna. Railroad, and to let the same in accordance with acts of Assembly and city ordinances providing therefor.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
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Attest: E. S. MORROW,
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President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my25

ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE

Fixing Compensation for City Engineer.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in lieu of the compensation now provided by the ordinances of the city, the City Engineer shall receive as full compensation for his services an annual salary of thirty-five hundred dollars, payable from appropriation No. 7, in such manner as the Street Committee may direct.

SEC. 2. And hereafter the fee to be charged for regulating lots shall be four dollars, and for street grades three dollars.

SEC. 3. That the City Engineer shall keep an accurate account of all fees received by him, and shall make a return thereof to the Controller on the first Monday of each month under oath, and shall pay all money so received by him to the City Treasurer for the use of said city.

SEC. 4. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Comm Council. ap24

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Liberty street, from Thirty-first street to Thirty-third street.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of Liberty street, from Thirty-first street to Thirty third street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31, 1857; also, an act concerning Streets, approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

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President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my25

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Apple alley, from Van Braam street to Marion street.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of Apple alley, from Van Braam street to Marion street, and to let the same in the manner directed by Ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31st, 1857; also, an Act concerning Streets, approved January 6th, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

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President of Common Council.
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Clerk of Common Council. my24

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading of St. Patrick alley, from Marion street to Miltenberger.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of St. Patrick alley, from Marion street to Miltenberger street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning streets, passed August 31, 1857; also, an act concerning Streets, approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

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Clerk of Common Council. my24

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Beech alley, from Pride street to Miltenberger street.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of Beech alley, from Pride street to Miltenberger street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31, 1857; also, an act concerning streets, approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 3. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

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President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my24

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the Grade of Liberty street, from Twenty-ninth to Thirty-second street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Liberty street be so changed that it will be a fall from the present grade at Twenty-ninth street of 0.70 foot per 100 feet to Thirty-second street, thence a rise of 1.65 feet per 100 feet to the present grade at Thirty-first street.

SEC. 2 That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my24

AN ORDINANCE

For Opening Forty third street, from Butler to Davison street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and is hereby directed to survey and open Forty-third (late Ewalt) street, from Butler to Davison street, and to appraise damages and assess benefits Frank Kobne, Henry Herr and James T. McClure are hereby appointed.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
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Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my25

AN ORDINANCE

Widening Sidewalks on Thirty-Ninth and Fortieth streets.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width of the sidewalks on the west side of Thirty-ninth and on the east side of Fortieth street be so changed from Butler street to the Allegheny Valley R. R. as to be of a width of fifteen (15) feet.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my25

ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the Grade of Penn Street from Thirtieth Street to Thirty-third Street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Penn street be so changed that it will be two feet above and parallel with the old grade from Thirty-first to Thirty-third, and a uniform grade from the present grade of Penn at Thirtieth to the new grade at Thirty-first street.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my25

AN ORDINANCE

For Widening Webster avenue, from Grant street to Seventh avenue.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Webster avenue, from Grant street to Seventh avenue, to the width of fifty (50) feet, in accordance with the "City District Plan," and to appraise damages and assess benefits Aaron Floyd, James Griffin and James Black are hereby appointed, in accordance with an act of Assembly approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my24

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Forty-eighth street, from Butler street to the Allegheny river.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of Forty-eighth street, from Butler street to the Allegheny river, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning streets, passed August 31, 1857; also, an act concerning streets, approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1859.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my25

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading of Irwins alley, from Fortieth street to Forty-Second street.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading of Irwins alley, from Fortieth street to Forty-second street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31, 1857; also, an act concerning streets, approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my24

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Forty-third Street, from Butler street to Davison street.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of Forty-third street from Butler street to Davison street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning streets, passed August 31, 1857; also, an act concerning streets, approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
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President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
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AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Sixteenth street, from Pike street to the Bridge.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same,* That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of Sixteenth street, from Pike street to the bridge, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning streets, passed August 31, 1857; also, an act concerning Streets, approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 3. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1869.

JOHN SHIPTON,
President pro tem of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: H. McMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council. my24

WALL PAPERS.

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WINDOW SHADES,
OF
New and Handsome Designs,
NOW OPENING AT
No. 107 Market Street
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Embracing a large and carefully selected stock of the newest designs from the FINEST STAMPED GOLD to the CHEAPEST ARTICLE known to the trade. All of which we offer at prices that will pay buyers to examine.

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THE OLD PAPER STORE IN A NEW PLACE,
W. P. MARSHALL'S
NEW WALL PAPER STORE,
191 Liberty Street,
(NEAR MARKET,)
SPRING GOODS ARRIVING DAILY. mh6

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW OPERA HOUSE.

Lessee.....WM. HENDERSON,
Manager.....M. W. CANNING.

Brilliant success of the charming young Comediennes and Vocalists, the
CHAPMAN SISTERS
And the popular Comedian, Mr. C. D. BISHOP.
WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 26th, 1869, the Sparkling Operatic Burlesque of
FRA DIAVOLO;
OR THE BEAUTY AND THE BRIGAND.
The performance to conclude with Bishop's specialty, called
WANTED—1,000 MILLINERS.
Thursday Evening—ALADDIN and PET OF THE PETTICOATS.
Chapman Sisters Matinee on Saturday.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.

H. W. WILLIAMS, Lessee and Manager.
Second and last week of the gorgeous spectacular burlesque called THE FORTY THIEVES, with all its beauties and the magnificent TRANSFORMATION SCENE.
TO-NIGHT The Great American Comique, GUS WILLIAMS.
Forty Thieves Matinee on Wednesday and Saturday. Admission to Matinee, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents.

MASONIC HALL.

THREE NIGHTS—TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, May 25, 26 and 27.
HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS,
From their Minstrel Hall, Chicago. J. H. Haverly, Manager. Compo ed of eighteen brightest lights of minstrelsy, among whom are Charley Pettengill, S. S. Purdy, Charley Reynolds, O. P. Sweet, Sig Gustave Bidaux, with a full and efficient Quartette and Orchestra.
Admission, 35 cents; reserved seats, 50 cents. Matinee Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
my22 PHILO CLARKE, Agent.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Grand Exhibition (second time) by Mrs. SLACK DAVIS' pupils, on TUESDAY, MAY 25th, 1869. Parlor Dancing, consisting of light gymnastics, and also a Fairy Drama, expressly adapted, from Shakspeare's
MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM.
Price of admission, 50 cents to all parts of the house. Tickets and programmes may be had at all the music stores. Doors open at 7; commence a quarter to 8. my18:j52

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE
CENTRAL BOARD OF EDUCATION,
PITTSBURGH, May 20, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS, for the Masonry of the foundation walls of the High School Building will be received until 12 M., June 2d. Bidders will state the price per perch superficial for the cut stone work, and the price per cubic foot for rubble work. They will also state the whole amount for which they will do the work.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of BARR & MOSER. Proposals to be left at the office of the Central Board, corner of Wood street and Sixth avenue.

Bidders will be required to accompany their bids with a specimen of the stone proposed to be used for the cut work.

Bids will also be received for the excavation.

By order of the Building Committee.
my20:j51 JOHN A. SERGEANT, Sec'y.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAS COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, May 15, 1869.

PROPOSALS FOR

COAL, SLACK AND LIME.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the PITTSBURGH GAS COMPANY until WEDNESDAY, May 26th, for the delivery of
500,000 bush of good Bituminous Coal;
110,000 bush of good merchantable Nut Coal and Slack;
15,000 bush of good Lime.

In the stores of the Company, on their works. All to be of such quality and delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be approved and directed by the Engineer of the Works. Payments to be made monthly, retaining ten (10) per cent in the hands of the Gas Company until the completion of the contract.

Any information that may be required will be furnished by the Engineer at the Works.

Proposals to be addressed to the President of the Pittsburgh Gas Company, endorsed "Proposals for coal, slack or lime," as the case may be. JAMES THOMSON,
my17:j41 Engineer.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY CO., PA.,
PITTSBURGH, May 17, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 31st inst. inclusive for the erection of a new bridge over Plum Creek, on the Leechburg road, on the line between Penn and Plum townships, on the farm of Wm. Bright.

ALSO, for the erection of a new bridge over Crooked Run, in Versailles township, where the State Road leading from Canonsburg to the Greensburg Turnpike crosses said Run.

ALSO, for the erection of a new bridge over Little Deer Creek, on the road leading from Harmarville to W. V. Connell's mill, in Indiana township.

ALSO, for the erection of a new wooden structure, excepting the planking, at the bridge over Deer Creek, on the road leading from the Three Degree Road to the Kittanning road in West Deer township.

Plans and specifications can be seen on application.

By direction of the County Commissioners.
HENRY LAMBERT,
my18:j49-d&T2 Controller.

OFFICE OF THE
CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.,
PITTSBURGH, May 21, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 31st inst. for the erection of a new wooden structure at the bridge over Turtle Creek, near Brinton's station, on the road leading from borough of Braddock to the Greensburg turnpike, in Wilkins and Versailles townships.

Plans and specifications can be seen on application.

By direction of County Commissioners.
HENRY LAMBERT,
my22:168 d&T1 Controller.

LEGAL.

SARAH MAY by her next friend David Lake vs. Robert May. In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, No. 476, Dec. T., 1868.

To the above named respondent:

ROBERT MAY: You are hereby notified to be and appear at the next term of this Court, to be held at Pittsburgh on the FIRST MONDAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1869 then and there to answer the complaint of the above named libelant, and show cause, if any you have, why the prayer for divorce *a vinculo matrimonii* should not be granted.

SAMUEL B. CLELEY, Sheriff.
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IN THE MATTER OF THE AP- PLICATION OF THE SEVENTH WARD PREMIUM LOAN ASSOCIATION OF ALLEGHENY CITY, for a Charter of Incorporation. No. 820, June Term, 1869. Notice is hereby given that application has been made, to the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, to grant the charter of incorporation in this case, that it is now on file in the office of the Prothonotary of Allegheny county, and will be granted at the next term of Court, (June, 1869,) unless exceptions thereto are filed in the meantime.

ROBERT POLLOCK,
my5:166-w Solicitor for Petitioners.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—Western District of Pennsylvania. At Pitsburgh the 10th day of May, A. D. 1869.

The undersigned, Assignee of the estate of CHARLES C. ALOSO, Bankrupt, hereby gives notice that a general meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt, will be held at the office of JOHN N. PURVIANCE, Esq., one of the Registers in Bankruptcy at said district, at No. 116 Federal street, Allegheny City, Pa.,

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE *is furnished in the city the six days of the week for* 15 *cents per week; by mail,* $8 *per annum:* 3 *mos.,* $2.

Allegheny Councils will hold a regular meeting to-morrow night.

The brick work on the new City Hall, which was commenced on Monday, is progressing slowly.

The Allegheny Park Commission held a meeting last evening. No business of public importance was transacted.

A large force of men are at work repairing the pavement on Second avenue, and will probably complete it this week.

Completed.—The lateral sewer on Sandusky street, Allegheny, between North and Montgomery avenues, has been completed.

New Crossing.—A new cut stone crossing is to be placed on Ohio street, at the northeast corner of the Market House, Allegheny.

Committed.—Alderman Hays, of Allegheny, yestesday committed Frank Ketelby to jail for trial on a charge of larceny, preferred against him by Christian Zloch.

Still Living.—Patrick Fagan, the unfortunate man who was injured Saturday night, in rear of the Union Hotel, Second avenue, is still living, but no hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Killed.—Monday afternoon, a little daughter of Mr. Siebold, Third ward, Allegheny, was severely bitten by a large dog belonging to Mr. Schlieper. The animal was immediately dispatched.

Lecture for Gentlemen.—Dr. Gleason lectures this evening to gentlemen only, on the Origin of Animal and Vegitable Life, in Excelsior Hall, Allegheny city. Splendidly illustrated with manikins,&c.

Postponed.—The hearing in the case of Mrs. Douglass, charged with keeping a common bawdy house at No. 77 Virgin alley, which was to have taken place yesterday, was postponed until Friday, at two o'clock p. m.

Any person in want of a large, convenient and comfortable house, in a delightful location, near the Citizens Passenger Railway, and at a moderate rent, would do well to call on Mr. G. S. Bates, corner Penn and Butler streets.

Alleged Larceny.—Keeler Tabor yesterday made information before Alderman Bolster, of Allegheny, against Andrew Badinger and George Schimeg for larceny. The accused were arrested and in default of bail committed for a hearing.

The poem accepted for Decoration Day, is from the gifted pen of Mr. Oliver T. Bennett, of the *Commercial*. It is highly spoken of, and said to be even finer than many of the already popular verses that gentleman has furnished the public anonymously.

Held for Court.—C. Johnson, against whom an information was made before the Mayor several days since for larceny of a quantity of rope from the bank of the Monongahela river, had a hearing yesterday, and was held to bail for his appearance at Court.

Wanted—Situation.—By a young man as book-keeper or assistant book-keeper, good penman, and has had several years experience in store and bank. Can furnish good reference and security, if required. Address box A GAZETTE office, or call at the GAZETTE Counting Room.

A Clue.—The Beaver *Argus* says: We were shown a letter the other day from a detective living in another State, in which he expresses a belief that he has obtained a clue to the parties who blew open the safe and robbed the Treasury at this place some two years and a half ago.

Discharged.—Mayor Brush discharged two of his officers, one on Monday for drunkenness while on duty, and another yesterday for incompetency. He is determined to have no men on the force who are not competent and efficient, and is taking the proper method of reaching that much to be desired end.

Troublesome Prisoner.—Monday evening John McGraud, while in the Allegheny lock-up for drunkenness, amused himself by tearing up the floor of his cell and smashing everything in reach of him. Yesterday morning the Mayor imposed a fine of ten dollars and costs upon him for his conduct.

Burglary.—The boot and shoe shop of Wm. Barnes, of Bridgewater, Pa., was broken into by some person or persons unknown, on Tuesday night of last week, and about two hundred dollars worth of boots, shoes and leather taken therefrom. The burglars made their entry into the room by means of false keys used in opening the rear door.

Assaulted a Woman.—Information was made before the Mayor yesterday, by Ella Reno, residing on Marion street, Allegheny, charging James Porter with assault and battery. She alleges that Porter came to her residence and without provocation assaulted and beat her, striking her in the face with his fist. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

An Evening of Sacred Song.—Philip Phillips, the "Singing Pilgrim," whose reputation as a singer is not confined to America, will give a concert at the First Methodist Church, (Rev. Alex. Clark's), Fifth avenue, on Wednesday evening, June 2d. Tickets can be procured at the various music stores of Pittsburgh and Allegheny city.

Stock Sales.—The following stocks were sold last evening on the second floor of the Commercial Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street, by A. McIlwaine, Auctioneer:

Citizens National Bank	$68 50
M. and M. National Bank	70 25
Second National Bank	94 00
Pittsburgh and Connellsville R. R.	11 00

Sent to Jail.—Mrs. Hannah Cuff, proprietress of a small grocery store in the Sixth ward, Allegheny, was before Mayor Drum last evening, for selling liquor to minors. Several boys were arrested Sunday evening, in an intoxicated condition, in the vicinity, who, when sober, stated they had purchased the liquor at the store. The accused, after a hearing, was committed in default of bail for trial.

Aggravated Assault and Battery.—Jas. Campbell made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging Chas. Brennan with aggravated assault and battery. He alleges that the accused attacked him Monday night, near the corner of Penn and Seventh streets, and without provocation struck him on the back of the head with a boulder, inflicting a serious injury. A warrant was issued for the arrest of the accused.

More of Them.—The crusade against the Sunday whisky sellers still goes on, and we are informed that it will be continued until every violator has been brought to justice and learns from experience that it is the duty of all citizens to conform strictly to the law. Information was made before the Mayor yesterday against Mrs. Murphy, Fred. Mueller and Leopold Hart, to recover the penalty of $50, and also criminal prosecution instituted. Warrants were issued.

Decorating the Graves.—On Friday afternoon, 28th inst., Mr. E. G. Krehan, who has been appointed to designate the graves of soldiers in the cemeteries on the South Side, will visit Zimmerman's Cemetery at one o'clock, the Methodist at two o'clock, Hirzberger at three o'clock, and the German Catholic at four o'clock. Relatives of the deceased can very materially assist in the work by meeting Mr. Krehan at the designated places at the hours named.

Prof. Slack's Concert.—The second concert under the direction of Prof. W. B. Slack will be given next Friday evening in the spacious hall of the Third ward (Grant) School House. Pupils from the Moorhead, Oakland, Forbes, South and Franklin Schools, will take part in the performances. Prof. W. Evans will give some of his choice recitations. The Quartette Club will also be present, and discourse some of their sweetest music. The performances will, of course, be greeted with a full house.

The Pirate's Legacy is the title of a novel recently written by our esteemed fellow-towsman, Professor Rudolph Leonhardt, of the Western University. The Professor is no novice in the paths of fiction, as the many readers of his former books, both in English and German, can testify, and this last is said to be much the best of his works. It is not a sensation story, as, from its title, some might be led to believe, but a simple, picturesque tale of high and low life in America and Italy. The story was written in English, but its accomplished author has translated it into German and sold the translation. The English edition will be sold by subscription only, and parties wishing to procure an interesting work by a well known fellow-citizen, can find the subscription list at the bookstore of the Messrs. Backofen, on Smithfield street.

At the Triennual Convention of the School Directors of Allegheny county, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the President of this Convention be requested to appoint a Committee of ten friends of Education, who, together with the Chairman of this Convention, shall constitute a Committee for the purpose of making the preliminary arrangements for choosing a site and raising funds for building a house for the Normal School of this District, composed of Allegheny, Beaver and Butler counties.

In pursuance of said resolution, I hereby appoint the following gentlemen on that Committee: James Kelly, Esq., of Wilkins township, Wm. Espey, Esq., of Scott township, James B. Lyon, Joseph Dilworth, Wm. A. Thaw, and John H. Ralston, Esqrs., of the city of Pittsburgh, F. R. Brunot, James C. Parke, and A. T. Douthett, Esqrs., of Allegheny City, and Moses Chess, Esq., of Chartiers township.

The Committee will meet at Curry's Normal School on Sixth, formerly St. Clair street, in the City of Pittsburgh, at ten o'clock, A. M. of Monday, May 31st, 1869. F. C. NEGLEY, Pres't.

Col. Joseph Browne.

MESSRS. EDITORS: Please announce for me, through your columns, that I am confined to my room, and have been for some time past, by sickness, the dregs left by army life, and of course have been unable to see my friends in reference to my aspirations for the office of Clerk of Court. I am still in the field for the nomination, and will have to trust my friends to guard and protect my interests before the Convention if I am not convalescent by that time.

JOSEPH BROWNE.

Result of a Hearing.

Last evening Barclay and Kennedy, two of the partiea charged with aggravated assault and battery upon Jacob Slentz, a saloon keeper in Pleasant Valley, Second ward, Allegheny, had a hearing before Mayor Drum. It will be remembered that the parties on last Monday afternoon are said to have entered the saloon, raised a row with the proprietor, were put out, came again and beat him in a terrible manner. At one time it was feared that Slentz's injuries would prove fatal, but he has somewhat recovered, and was able to be present at the hearing. A number of witnesses were examined, and at the conclusion the parties were held for trial.

Almost an Accident.

Yesterday afternoon a colored man, driving a cart and hauling dirt from the sewer on Diamond alley, was backing his cart up to an excavation for a sewer drop, at the corner of Smithfield and Diamond streets, in which two sons of the "Emerald Isle" were at work, and not having the necessary stop blocks the cart dropped in upon them. One of them was slightly bruised on the top of the head, and the other escaped uninjured. The latter immediately jumped out of the excavation and "went" for the colored man, who was using his utmost endeavors to get the cart ont of the excavation. Owing to the attack, however, he was compelled to suspend operations, and the poor fellow in the drop under the cart was compelled to remain there until his brother workman had chastised the negro. After a few cuffs and kicks, which the poor fellow quietly submitted to, the cart was removed, and the man who was under it wanted to further chastise the negro for not extricating him sooner. He was prevented, however, by an explanation.

Wooden Buildings.

Last evening the Committee on Wooden Buildings, of the City Councils, held a meeting, at which a number of petitions for privilege to erect wooden buildings, were presented. But one of the petitions was favorably received. It was reported that several parties had, in defiance of the municipal authorities, erected iron-clad buildings within the city limits, and the City Solicitor was instructed to proceed at once with legal measures against them.

The Street Commissioner of the Second District was instructed to have the iron-clad buildings erected by Messrs. Hussey, Wells & Co., on Seventeenth street removed. The Commissioner of the First District was also similarly instructed in reference to the removal of the frame building on Pride street, owned by Messrs. Hartman, Richardson & Co., and to further inquire of the City Solicitor what steps were necessary to have the building of Mr. Colvin, on Webster avenue, removed.

The Street Commissioners were directed to notify the City Solicitor of all violations of ordinance relative to wooden buildings, that the proper legal measures might at once be taken against the offenders.

SYNODICAL PROCEEDINGS.

General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church at Cedarville, Ohio.

FIFTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Synod met at nine o'clock, and was opened with prayer by the Moderator, Rev. M. Harshaw. Spent half an hour in devotional exercises, Rev. A. Thomson in the chair.

Resumed business. A communication was presented by Dr. McLeod from the Presbytery of Sabaranpar, Northern India, to the effect that the Presbytery had suspended its relations to the General Synod, on account of the suspension of Geo. H. Stuart from membership and his office as Ruling Elder in the Church.

Dr. McLeod moved that the communication, and a series of resolutions relating to it, which he offered, be laid on the table, till the order of the day was disposed of.

The Board of Superintendents of the Theological Seminary presented their report, which was read and referred to the Committee on the Theological Seminary.

James Smyth, Esq., presented a protest, from Dr. Wylie, against the proceedings of the Board of Superintendents.

The protest was read and referred to the Committee on the Theological Seminary.

A communication was presented from Rev. Samuel Wylie, D. D., Sparta, Illinois, praying that the sentence of suspension pronounced on Geo. H. Stuart be revoked, and, if that could not be done, that the law of the Church be modified on the subjects of psalmody and communion.

In the absence of Rev. N. Woodside, Rev. J. F. Morton was appointed Assistant Clerk *pro tem.*

The communication of Dr. Samuel Wylie was received and placed on file.

The Committee on Finance presented their report. It was adopted.

Dr. McMaster presented the report of the Committee on Presbyterial Reports. Many congregations are languishing for want of stated pastors. The state of religion is set forth in the reports, which were ordered to be published in the minutes.

Resumed the consideration of the subject of Union.

Rev. J. K. Martin's substitute to take up the report item by item was discussed.

The following is the basis of union proposed:

WHEREAS, An organic union between the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church and the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church is most desirable and of the utmost importance to the maintenance and more general diffusion of the principles which they hold in common; and

WHEREAS, The respective testimony of these churches are substantially the same, if not identical; and

WHEREAS, The testimony of the United Presbyterian Church was framed with reference to the faith held in common by the reformed churches; and

WHEREAS, During the former negotiation which resulted in a union between the Associate and Associate Reformed Churches, the Reformed Presbyterian Church was represented, when it was unanimously agreed in convention, that in the event of a union the united body shall be known by the name of the United Presbyterian Church; and

WHEREAS, This name contains nothing peculiar to either of these churches; therefore,

Resolved, 1. That these churches agree to form an organic union on the basis of the principles embraced in these respective testimonies and the other subordinate standards which they hold in common.

Resolved, 2. That these churches when united shall be called the United Presbyterian Church, consisting of the Reformed Presbyterian Church and the United Presbyterian Churches, and that the Supreme Judicatory of the United States shall be called the "General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North America."

Resolved, 3. That the Testimony of the United Presbyterian Church shall be acknowledged as the Testimony of the United Church.

Resolved, 4. That for the present, the substantial agreement of the testimonies of those respective churches being recognized, congregations in the United Church shall be at liberty to use either, as may be most convenient to edification.

Resolved, 5. That the different Boards and Institutions of the respective churches shall not be affected by this union, but shall have control of their funds, and retain all their corporate or other rights and privileges until the interests of the church shall require a change.

Dr. Wilson offered the following substitute:

Resolved, That this Synod cannot and does not approve the resolutions adopted by the Joint-Committee on Union in the city of Pittsburgh, June, 1868, nevertheless approve of the conduct of the Committee in so far as it did its best in the Convention,—that negotiations be continued, and a committee be appointed to carry out the will of Synod. Not entertained.

Rev. J. S. Scott moved that the consideration of Mr. Martin's substitute be indefinitely postponed.

The Moderator decided that this motion, if carried, would dismiss the consideration of the whole subject of Union.

Mr. Scott then withdrew his motion to indefinitely postpone.

Moved that Mr. Martin's substitute be laid on the table. Carried.

The amendment of Dr. Bratton, offered on Saturday, was then taken up, viz: That the report of the Committee be approved, as far as it goes, and the same Committee be continued, or a new one appointed.

Rev. J. F. Morton said the Committee had labored hard and faithfully. He was in favor of the Committee going on and finishing its work, and then the Synod could adopt or reject the basis.

Dr. Steele had some difficulty in regard to the word "approve," as used in relation to the Committee. He would not trammel the Committee at all.

Rev. Dr. Bratton would change the form of his motion, if desired. He did not wish to commit the Synod, contrary to her will. He moved that the whole report be re-committed to the Committee. Carried unanimously. The effect of this is to continue negotiations and reappoint the Committee.

Rev. Dr. Young and Rev. Dr. Morton asked to be excused from serving on the Committee. Request rejected.

On motion, the congregations in the church were requested to take up a collection, to defray the traveling expenses of the Committee.

Rev. J. F. Morton presented a memorial from the citizens of Cedarville, in relation to the subject of Temperance.

On motion, it was received and referred to a Special Committee to prepare a report. The Committee are: Revs. J. F. Morton, John Alford and James Cook.

Synod then adjourned to meet at three o'clock in the afternoon, Rev. W. S. Bratton concluding by prayer.

[The friends of Union are in good spirits, on account of the action had this morning on that subject.]

DECORATION DAY.

Meeting of Executive Committee G. A. R.—Mansfield Moving—Poem for the Day—Chief Marshal's Report—Finances, &c.

The Executive Committee of the G. A. R. held another meeting yesterday afternoon at three o'clock, in City Hall, for the purpose of making further arrangements relative to the observance of Decoration Day. Gen. A. L. Pearson was called to the chair, and Capt. W. B. Cook appointed Secretary.

MANSFIELD AWAKE.

Mr. Andrew Walker, from Mansfield, stated a meeting had been held in that village on Monday evening, at which it was decided to have it represented in the procession and other ceremonies of the Day. The Oakdale Guards, a volunteer organization, had signified their intention of participating. Rev. J. A. Snodgrass had also been appointed orator for the occasion. The meeting then adjourned until Thursday evening.

Capt. S. W. Reynolds moved that the delegates from Mansfield and vicinity be constituted the Fourth Division in the procession, with Col. J. W. Ballentine as Chief Marshal.

On motion, Toerge's Brass Band was assigned the right of the procession.

THE POEM.

Captain Collier now read a poem which had been prepared to be recited on Decoration Day, and, on motion, the poem was unanimously adopted for the occasion and Capt. Collier appointed reader.

Capt. W. B. Cook moved a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. O. F. Bennett, author of the poem, for his services. Adopted.

CHIEF MARSHAL'S REPORT.

Major E. A. Montooth, Chief Marshal of the procession, presented the following report of the officers and route of procession:

THE OFFICERS.

Chief Marshal, E. A. Montooth; Chief of Staff, Wm. Blakely; Adjutant General, H. A. Collier. Aids: John H. Stewart, Martin Schaffer, B. F. Kennedy, Robert Pollock, W. J. McGrally, B. F. Jennings, C. Eberhardt, W. B. Cook, B. Galliseth, Hiram P. Callow, Foster Alward, J. K. McLanahan, Thomas B. Cluley.

Aids to the Chief Marshal will wear regulation cap, white gloves, G. A. R. badge, army sash around the waist and belt, black crape on left arm, with red, white and blue ribbon attached.

The order of formation will be: 1st, Police; 2d, Band; 3d, Chief Marshal and Staff; 4th, Soldiers' Orphaus; 5th, First Division; 6th, Second Division; 7th, Third Division.

The officers of the First Division are: Chief Marshal, A. P. Callow; Chief of Staff, J. P. McHendry; Adjutant General, A. Patterson; Surgeon General, W. B. Hezlep. Aids—J. C. Bartley, W. R. Johnson, James Gresseb, W. K. McClintock, R. M. Blair, W. C. McKelvy. The uniforms will be of this, as well as of all the divisions: Regulation cap, white gloves, badge, G. A. R. arm crape, red ribbon attached.

The officers of the Second Division are: Chief Marshal, J. G. McConnell; Chief of Staff, Geo. S. Smith; Adjutant General, Samuel W. Reynolds. Aids—J. C. McConnell, Lee S. Smith, S. W. Reynolds, Jos. H. Gray, Alf. M. Kerr, H. L. Young, J. T. Cunningham, Chas. F. Porter, J. C. Paul, J. D. Forrester, Wm. M. Kirby, J. S. Easton, A. J. Harbaugh, Sam'l Kilgore.

The officers of the Third Division are: Chief Marshal, G. S. Wood; Chief of Staff, D. A. Jones: Adjutant General, W. E. Weber; Sugeon General, J. H. Roberts; Chaplain, Pressly Brown; Aids: S. A. Barr, G. B. Van Emon, E. McKee, P. Daniel, J. Elchley, G. Quar, R. R. Jones, J. W. Ballantine, M. U. Felker, James Duncan, A. Ammon, S. P. Heizel, H. B. Miller, N. K. Miller, J. W. Kerr, R. M. Mahen, Louis Fritz, A. M. Arnholt, Chas. Rink, H. Meisterfeld, J. W. Carl.

FORMING PROCESSION.

Mansfield, Temperanceville and the adjoining townships will constitute the Fourth Division, with the following officers; Marshall, Col J. W. Ballantine.

Each division will be headed by a portion of the Grand Army of the Republic, and following will be firemen, civic organizations, disabled soldiers in carriages and other carriages.

The First Division will form on Water street, right resting on Water street. The Second will form on Market street, right resting on Water street. The Third will form on Wood street, right resting on Water street.

THE ROUTE.

The route will be up Smithfield street to Third avenue, up Third avenue to Grant street, along Grant to Fifth avenue, down Fifth avenue to Market street, along Market to St. Clair (now Sixth) street, along Sixth street to Penn, along Penn street to Wayne, and there halt. The first division will then countermarch, and proceed to Allegheny city, by way of Penn and St. Clair street (now Sixth street). The second division will proceed to Allegheny and St. Mary's Cemeteries by the way of Penn street, and the third division will move up Wayne to Liberty, down Liberty to Smithfield and thence to Birmingham. The procession to be in line at ten o'clock precisely.

The report was unanimously adopted.

The resignation of Captain Callow from the Advertising Committee was received and accepted.

On motion of Captain W. B. Cook, a Committee on Publication was appointed, consisting of H. A. Collier, Augustus Beckert and David Jones.

On motion, a Committee, consisting of Captains Foster Alward, W. M. Dalgleish and H. R. Logan, was appointed to assist the ladies in the floral arrangements at Masonic Hall on Friday.

DESIGNATING THE GRAVES.

Messrs. Capt. John G. McConnell, A. J. Harbaugh, John H. Kerr, John Chislett and John Horner were appointed to appropriately designate the soldiers' graves in Allegheny and St. Mary's Cemeteries.

Messrs. John Horner, Foster Alward and John Barnes were added to the Executive Committee.

Capt. W. B. Cook moved that all the monies collected by the several subcommittees on finance be turned over to the Treasurer, Lee S. Smith, to be expended in payment of all bills incurred by the Central Committee. Adopted.

THE SALUTE.

The Chairman read a communication from the War Department at Washington, stating that Gen. R. H. K. Whitely had been instructed to furnish guns, ammunition and men for firing the salute on Saturday morning.

Mr. S. W. Reynolds moved that the Chairman be instructed to notify the Commandant at the Arsenal to fire the salute from Basin Hill.

The Committee on Transportation were instructed to provide carriages for the accommodation of the Judges of the two Courts and Chief Magistrates of the cities.

Adjourned.

American Silks.—On Wednesday, May 26, we will open at our new store, No. 20 Sixth street, (formerly St. Clair,) also at No. 59 Market street, a choice line of American Silks in black and colored, plain and figured.

J. W. BARKER & Co.,
No. 59 Market street, and
No. 20 Sixth street.

Meeting of Street Committee.

A regular meeting of the Street Committee of the City Councils was held last evening, at which the following ordinances were favorably reported upon:

For grading and paving Twenty-Seventh street, from Butler street to Allegheny river; for opening Hatfield street, from Forty-Fourth to Fiftieth street; for grading and paving Willow street, from Forty-Third to Forty-Fourth street; for opening Valley street, from Fortieth to Forty-Ninth street; for grading and paving Spring alley; for grading and paving Pleasant alley, from Forty-Third to Forty-Fourth street; for grading and paving Twenty-Ninth street, from Penn to Smallman street; for grading and paving Forty-Eighth street.

The Street Commissioner was instructed to have flag stone crossings laid down at the intersection of Fifth avenue and Grant street, and at the intersection of Sixth avenue and Smithfield street.

Several other important matters were discussed, but no definite action taken in any aside from those here recorded.

State and County Taxes.

Although the County Treasurer has been ready to receive the taxes since the first of the month, comparatively few persons have called to settle their accounts and save the per centage. To many persons engaged in business, who have a large amount of tax to pay, it is quite an object to use the money until the last day of grace; but there are hundreds of persons who have the amount lying idle, who would find it much to their own convenience, and might greatly facilitate business in the Treasurer's Office, to pay at once. The present office of the treasury is entirely too small for the business, there not being sufficient counter room to lay out all the duplicates, and consequently when the rush comes in June and July, the inconvenience of paying will be much greater than in former years, before there were so many districts and taxpayers. All those who can, should step up to the office before the jam commences, where they will find the Treasurer and a full corps of competent clerks to wait on them.

A Superb Specimen.

Mr. W. W. Wallace has just finished at his establishment, Nos. 319 and 321 Liberty street one of the most superb specimens of marbleized marble mantles ever made in the country. The marbleizing is in imitation of the Syracone, the most rare and valueable marble found in South America, and the workmanship is of such a perfect character that the imitation can not be detected from the real article, except by the most critical inspection. The blending of the various rich colors of blue and gold and crimson, has been accomplished with such remarkable fidelity to nature, that the slabs of which the mantle is composed, seem to the eye as though just cut from the quarry and highly polished. It is on exhibition at the warerooms on Liberty street, where all our readers, so desiring, can have an opportunity for a few days to examine it.

Books for the Million.

Col. J. D. Egan, at the popular and well stocked book and stationery store on Sixth avenue, near Smithfield street, is prepared to supply the wants of all who are in need of books of any and every description at prices which defy competition. His stock comprises all the late publications and old standard works, text books for schools, Sunday school books, and he has also a large assortment of second hand books, in which are many rare and valuable works from standard authors, which he is selling at remarkably low prices. On his counter will also be found all the late magazines and periodicals and a full stock of stationery.

Keystone Pottery.

Notwithstanding the recent advance in prices on Queensware in the East, Messrs. S. M. Kier & Company, proprietors of the Keystone Pottery, No. 363 Liberty street, continue to sell their excellent ware at the same low prices as heretofore. The ware manufactured by this firm is pronounced by competent judges to be equal, in point of strength, durability and finish to the best Liverpool ware, and is sold at less than one-half the cost of the latter. As an evidence of its superiority over earthen wares it is only necessary to refer to the rapidly increasing business of the firm. Dealers and purchasers should remember the place, No. 363 Liberty street.

To Purchasers.

Purchasers should always make it a point before making their purchases, no matter what their nature, to first ascertain an establishment of a reliable character, where the article they desire is kept for sale, and then it is their duty to learn where they can get the best article for the least money. Those in search of lace goods, trimmings, hosiery and gloves will find the establishment of W. W. Moorhead, No. 81 Market street, just the place to make their purchases. His stock is large and fresh, and he is daily receiving new goods from the Eastern markets. Prices at this establishment are put down to the lowest figure.

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Only thirty-three cents a day to pay for a Weed Sewing Machine. That amount can be economized by every body.

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Dress Goods.—J. W. Barker & Co., will open at their new store, 20 Sixth (formerly St. Clair) street, also 59 Market street, on Wednesday morning, May 26, a large line of Dress Goods in the most desirable fabrics, comprising Alpacas, Irish Poplins, Japanese Poplins, Poplinetts, Satin Cloths in plain and stripes, Tabkoes, Robe de Voyages, Grenadiers, Organdies, Lawns, Printed Jaconets, &c., &c. These goods will range in prices from 20c. per yard upwards.

J. W. BARKER & Co.,
59 Market street and
20 Sixth street.

To the Public.—On account of the crowded state of our storerooms yesterday (Monday,) many customers were unable to be waited upon. Regretting our inability to accommodate all who favored the establishment on that day, we would say that on *Wednesday morning* many good bargains will be offered, and the stock will be found fully replenished with new and desirable goods. Store opened promptly at seven o'clock in the morning.

WILLIAM SEMPLE,
Nos. 180 and 182 Federal street,
Allegheny City.

Hoop Skirts and Corsets, closing out at very low prices. No. 52 St. Clair street. J. M. Burchfield & Co.

Lace Curtains in sets and by the yard at Bates & Bell's.

Economical, Reliable, the Best.

We mean DOOLEY'S BAKING POWDER. It is superior to all others in the market. Free from any injurious substances, and so nicely compounded that the contents of each box will make light, sweet, healthy biscuits, rolls, pastry, &c., with uniform success. Only two teaspoonfuls to a quart of flour is necessary, while those of ordinary manufacture require from one-third to a half more. Ask your grocer for Dooley's Chemical Yeast Baking Powder, and take no other. Try it and be convinced. MWF

New Store and New Goods.

We will open on Wednesday, May 26, our new, elegant and spacious retail sales rooms, No. 20 St. Clair street, with a very choice and complete stock of dry goods, hosiery, gloves, laces and embroideries, which will be offered at the very lowest rates. We shall also continue business at our old stand, No. 59 Market street, where our patrons and friends will find everything in the dry goods line, upon the same advantageous terms as we have been accustomed to offer them.

J. W. BARKER & Co.,
59 Market street and
20 St. Clair street.

Hagan's Magnolia Balm.—This article is the True Secret of Beauty. It is what Fashionable Ladies, Actresses, and Opera Singers use to produce that cultivated *distingue* appearance so much admired in the Circles of Fashion.

It removes all unsightly Blotches, Redness, Freckles, Tan, Sunburn and Effects of Spring Winds, and gives to the Complexion a Blooming Purity of transparent delicacy and power. No lady who values a fine Complexion can do without the Magnolia Balm. 75 cents will buy it at any of our respectable dealers.

LYON'S KATHAIRON is a very delightful Hair Dressing. MWF

Chapped Hands, face and all roughness of the skin, certainly cured by using the *Juniper Tar Soap*, made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York. It surpasses all other remedies as it will prevent roughness of the skin if used during cold weather. It is easily applied, avoiding all the trouble of the greasy compounds now in use. It can be used by ladies with the most tender skin, without irritation or pain, making it soft and clear. Sold by the druggists generally. wT

Choice and Very Cheap.—We will open on Wednesday morning, May 26, at our new store, 20 Sixth (formerly St. Clair) street, also st 59 Market street, two hundred pieces of French Chintzes (yard wide,) in stripes and figures, at twenty-five cents. These are in choice colorings and designs, and have never been offered at less than forty cents per yard.

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Remnants of dress goods, silks and poplins and wool goods, cheap at J. M. Burchfield & Co.'s.

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The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street.

Mourning Goods in variety at Bates & Bell's.

Chintzes, Lawns and Marseilles at Bates & Bell's.

DIED.

DALZELL.—On Sabbath evening, May 16th inst., at Atchison, Kansas, SARAH LOUISA, daughter of Mr. Steware Dalzell and wife, formerly of this city, aged 3 years.

DICKEY—Of consumption, at Nashville, Tenn., on the 19th inst., FANNIE, wife of D. D. Dickey.

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